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THE WEATHER

The weather for today and tomorrow is to be fair, according to the predictions of the authorities at Washington. The temperature will be much the same. The maximum temperature yesterday was 78 degrees and the minimum 68. The sun rose at 5:25 in clear weather and set at 7:24, also with clear skies. The statistics as given by the local weather bureau for the past 24 hours were:

Fair.

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m....	30.29	58	89	N.	Clear.
8 p. m....	30.18	75	52	N.E.	Pt. Cldy.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for August 12:

	1904	1903		1904	1903
Maximum ..	77	74	Mean	68	66
Minimum ...	58	59	Precipitation .	..	..

Nor. temp. 31 yrs. 73. Nor. precip. 31 yrs. .10
Dfcy. for day..... 5 Dfcy. for day..... .10
Dfcy. since Aug. 1. 14 Dfcy. since Aug. 1. 1.10
Dfcy. since Jan. 1. 479 Exc. since Jan. 1. .06

Official Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Saturday and Sunday; warmer Saturday; fresh south, shifting to west winds.

Ohio—Fair Saturday, with warmer in central and northern portions; Sunday fair, fresh south, shifting to west winds.

West Virginia—Fair Saturday and Sunday with rising temperature.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Cairo	84	Clear	Cincinnati ..	84	PtCldy
Memphis ...	84	Clear	Indianapolis .	82	PtCldy
El Paso	86	Clear	Columbus	78	PtCldy
Omaha	80	Clear	Chicago	82	Clear
Buffalo	68	Clear	Des Moines..	84	Clear
Denver	82	PtCldy	St. Louis....	84	Clear
Salt Lake...	80	Cloudy	Philadelphia.	72	Cloudy
St. Paul....	82	PtCldy	New York....	78	Clear
Helena	84	Cloudy	Cleveland	76	Clear
Huron	88	Clear	Cheyenne ..	70	PtCldy
Bismarck ..	82	Clear	Dodge City...	86	Clear
Duluth	78	Clear	North Platte.	88	Clear
Vicksburg ..	74	Cloudy	Rapid City...	84	Clear

RUSSIAN FLEET IS DISPERSED

Its Defeated and Disabled Battleships Limp Back Into Ports.

ASKOLD IS A WRECK

Germany Orders Czar's Seaworthy Vessels Out of Her Harbor in 24 Hours.

KASUGA IS REPORTED SUNK

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

CHEFOO, Aug. 13.—(Noon.)—A message has just been received here, saying that the Russian cruiser Novik escaped from Tsingchou at the expiration of the limit of 24 hours set upon her remaining there. No fighting at sea has yet been reported.

CHEFOO, Aug. 12, 10 A. M.—A late report from Tsing-Chou says that the Russian warships still there are the battleship Czarevitch, the protected cruisers Pallada and Novik and three torpedo boat destroyers. The Czarevitch, which is badly damaged, is being repaired with German assistance, it is alleged.

A report has also been received here that Admiral Withoft was killed in the naval battle off Round island last Wednesday.

A strong detachment of Japanese warships is reported to have sailed south for the purpose of intercepting the Vladivostok fleet, which it is believed has not yet effected a juncture with the vessels reported to have been purchased by Russia from the Argentine government.

TOKYO, Aug. 12.—(6 p. m.)—Admiral Togo has reported as follows:

"On August 10 our combined fleet attacked the enemy's fleet near Gugan Rock. The Russian vessels were emerging from Port Arthur trying to go south. We pursued the enemy to the eastward. Severe fighting lasted from 1 o'clock Wednesday afternoon until sundown. Toward the close the enemy's fire weakened remarkably. His formation became confused and then his ships scattered. The Russian cruisers Askold and Novik and several torpedo boat destroyers fled to the southward. Other of the enemy's ships retreated separately toward Port Arthur. We pursued them and it appears that we inflicted considerable damage. We found life buoys and other articles belonging to the Russian battleship Czarevitch floating at sea. The Czarevitch probably was sunk. We have received no reports from the torpedo boats and the torpedo boat destroyers which were engaged in the attack on the ships of the enemy. The Russian vessels, with the exception of the Askold, the Novik, the Czarevitch and the cruiser Pallada, appear to have returned to Port Arthur. Our damage was slight, the casualties amounting to about 170. Our fighting power has not been impaired."

The navy department tonight issued a brief statement of the engagement, with further details, as follows:

"According to reports received to date, the enemy's fleet which emerged from Port Arthur was attacked by our fleet south of Yentao island. The Russian fleet fled during the night. The cruisers Askold, Novik and another cruiser with one torpedo boat destroyer ran into Kai-Chou bay on the evening of August 11. One torpedo boat destroyer went to Chefoo, and three of the enemy's battleships, one cruiser, probably the Diana, one hospital boat, two gunboats and several torpedo boat destroyers seem to have separately returned to Port Arthur between dawn and noon of August 11. Our fleet appears to have sustained no damage."

ST. PETERSURG, Aug. 12.—The emperor has just received a long telegram from Kai-Chou, which is now being deciphered. He has also received the following dispatch from Viceroy Alexieff, dated August 11:

"According to a report from the commandant at Port Arthur, the squadron put to sea August 10. The steamer Mongolia followed the squadron. The following Japanese vessels were on the horizon: Three first-class cruisers, eight small cruisers and 17 torpedo boats. The port had been bombarded with siege guns for the past four days."

At the admiralty the fragmentary news tonight left much doubt as to the result of the fight between the Port Arthur squadron and the Japanese fleet, and as to the whereabouts of the Russian ships. All that seems to be established is that there was a day's running fight and a night torpedo attack, in which some of the ships became separated from the

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JAPAN SHAKES WORLD'S PEACE

Seizure of the Dismantled Russian Boat Is Denounced.

ACTION IS BRUTAL

Czar's Defenseless Men Are Shot Down and Their Commander Is Wounded.

RUSSIA PROTESTS TO POWERS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 13, 4 A. M.—It is stated here that both France and Germany are supporting at Pekin the protest of the Russian government against the action of the Japanese torpedo boat destroyers in attacking the Russian torpedo boat destroyer Rieshitelni in the harbor of Chefoo.

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—A special to the Daily News from Chefoo, dated August 12, says:

After the Russian destroyer Rieshitelni arrived here yesterday it was boarded by an officer from the Chinese cruiser Hai-Yung, who stayed on deck until the vessel had been completely dismantled. The same evening the small arms and breech blocks of the guns were loaded into the Chinese launch and taken in charge by the Chinese authorities. The destroyer then anchored, with its entire crew and officers aboard, near the harbor lightship.

Two Japanese torpedo boats which were observed scouting about the harbor entrance during the afternoon entered at 6 p. m., and anchored 600 yards from the Russian destroyer. An official report from the master of the lightship to the commissioner of customs, filed this morning, states that about midnight he observed a small boat, lowered from one of the Japanese vessels, run alongside the Russian destroyer. One officer and five armed men were in the Japanese boat. They boarded the destroyer and began firing. Hand-to-hand fighting continued for about an hour.

Some of the crew of the Russian destroyer jumped overboard; others were thrown over. The entire affair was witnessed by the master of the lightship, which was only 100 feet away. He had a boat lowered and rescued one officer and two men. It is thought that several of the crew were killed, and that some were drowned. Capt. Shestakovsky of the Russian destroyer was wounded. He is now aboard the Hai-Yung.

Towed Boat from Harbor.

Toward morning the two Japanese torpedo boats approached the Russian destroyer, fastened a rope to the bow, raised the anchor and began to tow the vessel from the harbor. Just then a loud explosion took place in the forward part of the destroyer, resulting in little damage. One of the officers rescued by the lightship states that the moment the Japanese began towing the vessel the captain gave orders to the balance of the crew still aboard to explode the magazine. The attempt, however, was a partial failure.

When the Japanese torpedo boat towed the Rieshitelni out of the harbor they were compelled to pass in full view of three Chinese cruisers.

There is no doubt that the Russian destroyer was completely in the hands of the Chinese authorities. Mr. Hagerty, of the Associated Press, with an interpreter, was on board the Rieshitelni and witnessed the negotiations. He has a document recording the conversation of the Chinese officer with the Russian captain, conducted through his interpreter.

Chinese Admiral Protested.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

CHEFOO, Aug. 12.—(Noon.)—Capt. Shestakovsky, who was wounded in the leg by a bullet, and 20 of his men were saved by boats from the Hai-Yung.

Interviews with Admiral San and Capt. Ching, who is in command of the Hai-Yung, indicate that the Chinese naval authorities were more active than was at first supposed. When the first Japanese torpedo boat destroyer, towing the Rieshitelni departed to the northward, the second Japanese destroyer steered a course past the flagship and the cruiser Hai-Chi, the latter cleared for action and signaled to the destroyer to stop. This was done. Admiral Sah informed the commander of the Japanese destroyer that the Rieshitelni must be returned, as neutrality had been flagrantly violated. To this the commander of the second destroyer replied that he would overtake the first destroyer and return to Chefoo.

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"Who Cares For Burdens?"

METEOR DROPPED INTO CEMETERY

With Burst of Powerful Light and Pyrotechnical Display It Alights in Homewood.

EXPLODES NEAR THE EARTH

Preceded by a burst of light more intense than the skill of man has yet devised and with a tail of fire several hundred feet in its wake, a huge meteor shot out from a clear sky shortly before 2 o'clock yesterday morning and landed in Homewood cemetery.

The flight of the meteor, which appeared to be a four-foot cube, was attended by a pyrotechnical display of such impressiveness that it will linger long in the memory of witnesses, which included Dr. William D. King of Craig and Henry streets, together with his wife and a party of six ladies, while the phenomenon was also witnessed by the motorman and conductor of an inbound East Pittsburgh car.

Dr. King and his party were standing on the corner of Dallas avenue and Forbes street about 1:45 o'clock awaiting an inbound car. Suddenly the attention of the whole party was attracted by the rapidly increasing sharp, penetrating and indescribably bright light that was enveloping the whole neighborhood. Glancing up the descending meteor was observed rushing earthward. It was but an instant when the huge mass reached a point about 50 feet from them, near the cemetery gate. Notwithstanding the intense light, the tail of the meteor, about 300 feet in length, and tapering into nothingness by a graceful curve, was clearly discernable.

Just as the meteor appeared to reach the level of the cemetery fence about 10 feet from the ground the body exploded into innumerable fragments causing a shower and scatter of sizzling fire, much on the order of the firework "flower pot." The explosion was not accompanied by any report, the collapse of the mass being attended only by a dull, soft sound, rather puffing into thousands of particles than exploding.

The fragments of fire hurled themselves into the cemetery and darkness again prevailed. Out of this darkness came a shout, which investigation proved to emanate from the motorman of the approaching car:

"My God! What was that? Did some one's automobile blow up?"

From a distance, two blocks away, the light, almost as radiant as the sun, had attracted him, and he brought his car to the scene just as the meteor shattered itself into fragments.

Dr. King in speaking of the circumstance last night, stated that words could not express the brightness of the prevailing light nor the pyrotechnics attendant.

"It was awe-inspiring and we were all too deeply impressed and the occurrence too instantaneous to allow of fright."

MOROCCO IGNORES ENGLAND.

British Subject Imprisoned by Sultan's Orders and Legation's Protest Entirely Ignored.

TANGIER, Aug. 12.—Hamet Jalva, principal secretary to El Menebhi, the Moroccan minister of war, has been arrested and imprisoned here and his goods confiscated under the orders of the sultan.

Jalva is a British subject and the European residents are indignant at his arrest. They say that life and property, especially where British subjects are concerned, are unsafe. The British legation has strongly protested to the Moroccan government, but so far the protest has been entirely ignored.

CABINET FACES SERIOUS CRISIS

Japanese Action in Chefoo Harbor Strains Diplomacy Almost to Breaking.

WILL CONSULT THE POWERS

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Room 10, Postal Building,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 12.

Anxious concern, even trepidation, is displayed by the state department in regard to the action of the Japanese torpedo boat destroyers in cutting out the Russian destroyer Ryeshitelni from the neutral harbor of Chefoo, where it had taken refuge after the fight off Port Arthur. It is frankly admitted that this comes near shaking the neutrality of China to which all the great powers, including Russia committed themselves at the outbreak of the war for the purpose of so restricting the conflict that all the world might not be plunged into war.

Secretary Hay, at the suggestion of Germany, early in Februray initiated the international agreement which bound the powers to respect the neutrality of all China save Manchuria, the object of which was to limit the area of conflict to the high seas and to Russia, Japan, Manchuria and Korea. If China does not now protect her own neutrality, Secretary Hay will call the attention of the powers again to the menacing conditions there. Already instructions have gone to the American ministers and ambassadors abroad to report the attitude of the various governments upon this startling and dangerous development of the war.

World's Peace Is Threatened.

If China is drawn into the conflict, complications will be presented which will threaten the peace of all other powers. World diplomacy is now being strained to the utmost to avoid this terrible contingency. Secretary Hay brought the alarming prospect to the attention of President Roosevelt and his cabinet today. Little else was discussed at the meeting, save the Turkish situation.

The scattering of Russian warships to other ports, including the German concession at Kiao-Chau and Shanghai, are deemed scarcely less menacing to Chinese neutrality. Great satisfaction is expressed at the press reports that the German authorities will order all ships

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HEIR TO THRONE BORN IN RUSSIA

Prayers of Royal Couple Heard. His Majesty Almost Overcome With Joy.

REJOICING AMONG THE PEOPLE

By GEORGE FRAZER.
[Special Cable to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 12.—The prayers of the czar and czarina were answered today when the czarina gave birth to a boy. The court physician at Villa Alexandra, Peterhof, declares the mother and child are doing well. When the news was spread this afternoon granddukes, nobles and officials of all classes hastened to congratulate the czar on the event. His majesty received the felicitations excitedly. He was almost overcome with joy and exclaimed:

"Praise God, at last I see the accomplishment of my dearest wish."

The heir to the throne will be named Alexis.

The news that at last an heir to the Russian throne had arrived spread over St. Petersburg like wildfire and was telegraphed to the four corners of the empire. Immediately the czar's domain seemed suddenly transformed from a country clouded with the densest gloom to a fairy-land, filled with joyous merry-makers. Salvos of artillery were fired; stores were closed; women, men and children danced in the streets and the entire nation seemed to have gone mad.

Nation Forgets All Trouble.

Already the city is gay with flags in celebration of the glad event. When the news reached Peter Paul fortress, 310 cannon shots were fired. For the day the gloomy news of the far east, the dissensions in Finland, the internal rumblings which have shaken the empire and caused three assassinations in the last month were forgotten.

The czarina, from being the most unpopular woman in Russia, suddenly became the subject of a million toasts. Her health was drunk by the poorest peasant and the greatest nobie. The students in the great universities led in demonstrations and paraded the streets with banners and cheers. Speeches were made at every corner.

The foreigners here believe that the birth of an heir has set the revolution.

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CUTS LOOSE FROM UNION

The Macbeth-Evans Glass Company Will Run Open-Shop.

PLANTS TO RESUME

Big Lamp Chimney Company Tells Story of Its Difficulties With Workers.

OTHER CONCERNS BLAMED

"The Macbeth-Evans Glass Company has been forced to sever its connection with the American Flint Glass Workers' union, to save their business and those depending upon them. This step has been made necessary on account of the unjust demands of the union and also by the action of the competing manufacturers, who have no machines to operate and who have used undue influence with the union workers in order to encourage them to discriminate against the operation of labor-saving mbachinery."

In the words above the Macbeth-Evans Glass Company, controlling over half of the entire American output of lamp chimneys and employing 4,000 persons, announced yesterday that it will hereafter operate its plants open-shop or non-union.

The plants are to open on Monday next for the season's fire and the result of the action may be of a momentous character.

The determination of the big Pittsburgh chimney company to take this action came as the result of the annual conference between the committees representing the workers and the manufacturers. The session opened at Atlantic City on Tuesday and that day and Wednesday were devoted to matters affecting only the hand-made chimneys. On Thursday the machine-made product was taken up and the outcome of the conference was a disagreement that has resulted in the severing of the long-established relations between union and manufacturer.

Brought Machines Here.

In a detailed statement the company tells the history of its introduction of the chimney-making machine into the industry in the United States, taking the business away from Montreal, Canada, and centering it in Pittsburgh. Its factories are located in this city, in Charleroi, Marion, Ind., and at Ellwood, Ind. The company's headquarters are here. Its product is of international reputation.

The purpose of the present action is to remove the limit of production to which the machines have been restricted under the union rules. This had been accomplished by arrangements with the union which are said to have been dictated by the manufacturers who have no machines. The Macbeth-Evans company proposes now to use their machines to the best advantage and by that they claim they can not only stop the extensive importation of chimneys into the United States but can enter the foreign markets successfully. The statement follows:

Turns Were Much Greater.

During the year of 1898 the lamp chimney business was in a badly demoralized state, caused by the American Lamp Chimney Company working its machine on lamp chimneys on a non-union basis, at turns nearly 100 per cent greater than they are at the present time, and at a shop cost of $7, against $10 50, the union wages now, thus making all goods at a cost so much less than they could be sold for by the union houses, placing them in a position to get business wherever they went for it. No manufacturer operating a union factory could compete with the American Lamp Chimney Company under these conditions.

The American Flint Glass Workers' union became alarmed, and opened negotiations to purchase the machine. The price asked, however, was so great that, after considering the matter they gave it up. At that time the American Lamp Chimney Company had completed arrangements for the building of two or more 15-pot furnaces for the operation of machines. Then the Thomas Evans company and the George A. Macbeth Company, as well as other manufacturers, commenced negotiations for the purchase of the machine, which finally resulted in the consolidation of the George A. Macbeth Company and the Thomas Evans Company, under the title of the Macbeth-Evans Glass Company. This consolidated company purchased the American Lamp Chimney Company's factories, machines and patents, which action stopped the erection of the two additional furnaces that were to have been operated on a non-union basis by the American Lamp Chimney Company.

The first wage scale after this consolidation in 1899 made the chimneys cost the manufacturers who owned the machine more than other methods of working. This was caused by the Macbeth-Evans Glass Company allowing the machine to be worked

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NEW RAILROAD IN 16 MONTHS

Vice President Carter of Lake Erie & Pittsburgh Promises Rush.

WILL COST $16,000,000

Independent Connection Between Great Lakes and Steel Center Is Financed.

TONNAGE FIGURES A SURPRISE

"By January 1, 1906, we shall be operating both passenger and freight trains into Pittsburgh from Lorain. We have the money to build and equip the whole line and we propose to push construction with all possible vigor."

This statement was made yesterday by John B. Carter, vice president of the new "Lake Erie & Pittsburgh Railroad Company," which has already started the construction of a new line to connect the industries of this city with the great lakes. Mr. Carter is also president of the Carter Construction Company, which has taken the construction contract. He spent yesterday in this city in consultation with H. H. Lyon, assistant secretary of the company, and the engineers of the road, as well as others interested. He left in the evening for Lorain, which is to be the lake terminus of the new road.

"Before winter shuts down construction we shall have 40 miles of the road completed," he said. "This part extends from Lorain to Hudson, O., where we shall connect with the Cleveland & Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania lines. All will be ready for a rush to completion of all the rest of the line before the following winter.

"From Lorain to Youngstown our engineers, working under the direction of George W. Gist as chief engineer, have located a line which gives us a maximum grade of six-tenths of 1 per cent and a maximum curvature of four degrees. From Youngstown to Pittsburgh they are now working on a route which promises the same satisfactory maximum of grade and curvature.

Will Adopt Route Here Soon.

"The complete surveys will be ready for adoption at a board meeting to be held about September 1. This will cover the line in Ohio. We are about ready to secure our charter for a railroad company in Pennsylvania and the announcement of this will be made soon."

As already announced in The Gazette on official authority, the road is a project of Messrs. William Kenefick and Carter. Mr. Kenefick is president of the company, Mr. Carter vice president, J. C. Duffin, Chicago, secretary; H. H. Lyon, assistant secretary, and Richard Zenkero, Indianapolis, treasurer. The board consists of Messrs. Kenefick, Carter, Lyon, W. B. Thompson, Lorain, O., and J. M. Patton, Berea, O. The two latter are attorneys.

Mr. Carter said yesterday that the line will be completed at a cost approximating $16,000,000. Although it is close to 130 miles long, the work is not nearly so heavy as that of the new Wabash line, for instance. The 60 miles of that road lying between Pittsburgh and Jewett cost about $23,000,000. In this sum are included about 16 tunnels, several of great length; two great cantilever bridges, many smaller viaducts; miles of deep fills and cuts and real estate costing many hundred thousand dollars.

Only One Big Bridge.

"The Lake Erie & Pittsburgh will not need to do much heavy work to secure an excellent track," Mr. Carter said. "It has but the one big bridge, that over the Ohio river, and there are no tunnels of consequence until we reach the immediate neighborhood of Pittsburgh. Hence the outlay is not so great. In Ohio, however, we are being robbed of our right-of-way purchases. The cost is averaging $15,000 a mile. One man through whose swamp, absolutely useless, the line is to pass, has been awarded $500 an acre for the property. Our draining of it will make the ground of value for the first time. In other places, where we are cutting up more valuable properties, we are willing to make absolutely fair settlements.

"We are having but little difficulty in arranging for our crossings with the various railroads which traverse the section through which we pass. The Vanderbilt lines have agreed to the suggestions we made. The Erie and Pennsylvania, I am led to believe, will be similarly friendly. With the Baltimore & Ohio's Cleveland, Lorain & Wheeling line, however, we are having considerable trouble and the case must be settled in court. That road is naturally our enemy, as it has at present a line from competing territory and does not want a rival.

"At Lorain we have secured most valuable terminal properties. On the Black river, at the end of the great new tube plant being built there, we have secured a frontage of 4,000 feet, where the harbor depth is 26 feet, allowing the greatest vessels that sail the lakes to come to the docks. We also have hundreds of acres for yardage and are otherwise so placed that we can handle an enormous business at these terminals.

To Enter Coke Region.

"In Youngstown and the other cities of the Mahoning valley we shall be able to make convenient connections. The officials of the steel plants wish us only to prove the bona-fide character of the road before they give us connections and take advantage of our facilities for handling tonnage for them. There have been probably 50 fake railroad schemes in the territory between Youngstown and Lorain in the last dozen years, and it is natural that the manufacturers should be shy of a new proposition until it has established its character. We shall be able to do this to their entire satisfaction. In fact, I believe we have already done so. In Pittsburgh our terminal plans cannot be disclosed as yet. We shall reach the Union railroad and build into the coke region.

"It is absolutely wrong to credit our plans to any other parties. The project is so good a one from the standpoint of

KIDNAPERS OF BROOKLYN BOY ARE COMING TO PITTSBURGH

Detectives Ordered to Capture the Culprits Dead or Alive—Father Increases the Reward from $500 to $10,000.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Latest clues indicate the kidnapers of Antonio Mannino, the Brooklyn boy, have taken the lad to Pittsburgh, and a detective has been sent to that city to work with the police there for the recovery of the boy and the capture of the kidnapers.

The detectives are under orders from Magistrate Tighe, of the Butler street court, Brooklyn, to capture the criminals, alive if possible, but dead if necessary. When the culprits already in hand were arraigned before Magistrate Tighe today and it was shown clearly that some of them belonged to the band of outlaws, counterfeiters and extortionists, he turned to the police and said:

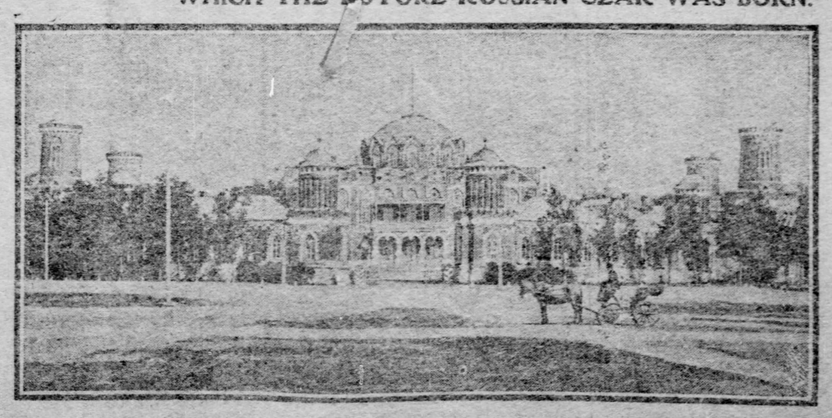
"Go out and make arrests—alive if you can, but dead if you must. The time has come when these men must be taught, by getting the full penalty of the law, that they cannot drag children away from their parents and hold them for money."

The reward for the recovery of of the boy was raised from $500 to $10,000 by his father.

Superintendent of Police Wallace said last night:

"I'm not surprised by the report that the Black Hand gang is coming to Pittsburgh. This city offers a good field for their work and also for concealment because it is a large and busy place. However, they will not be allowed to tarry long. If they come here it is a safe guess that they will be caught. Nothing will be left undone inthis direction if we have a call from the kidnapers. All their reputed hiding places will be closely watched.

VILLA ALEXANDRA, THE SUMMER PALACE IN WHICH THE FUTURE RUSSIAN CZAR WAS BORN.



earnings that we have been approached time and again by men of wealth, bankers and others, who wished to be allowed 'on the ground floor' in the plan. We told them simply that all our financial matters had been arranged before we started our work and that there is no more 'floor space' left."

Built 11 Miles of Wabash.

Mr. Carter and Mr. Keneflck are associated at present in the building of another new railroad, the Indianapolis Southern, extending 150 miles from Indianapolis to the stone and coal fields of Indiana. The Illinois Central will operate this road. Mr. Keneflck himself completed some time ago another railroad in Indian territory which has since become part of the 'Frisco system. He is building still another line in the same territory that fits in well with the Gould system, opening up a rich grain country.

In this section Mr. Keneflc and Mr. Carter are well known. The biggest task they have had in recent years hereabouts was 11 miles of the work on the new Wabash line. Their contracts included among other features the Green Tree tunnel of 5,500 feet length, and one of the most difficult on account of the complications that arose because of an old coal mine. The work on nearly all of their sections was among the heaviest on the Wabash line.

Vast Tonnage Shown by Figures.

Will Pittsburgh tonnage support an additional railroad is a question that has been asked repeatedly since the first mention of the Lake Erie & Pittsburgh building here was made. A local financier in answering this question yesterday referred to the figures on this district's rail shipments as compiled by the car service associations and published in the June issue of the federal department of Commerce and Labor's "Summary of Commerce and Finance." These figures show the operations of the 27 car service associations which include practically the entire tonnage of the country. Below are the leading ones in point of number of cars:

Association	June— 1903.	1904.	—Six months.— 1903.	1904.
St. Louis	52,031	52,919	406,174	350,611
Chicago	159,500	159,208	968,824	862,082
Cincinnati	54,768	49,998	313,409	288,409
Cleveland	46,017	42,941	266,388	250,904
New England	162,258	151,461	919,955	883,933
N. Y. & N. J.	81,092	76,752	469,682	441,855
Philadelphia	173,451	142,902	987,550	799,348
Pittsburgh	248,438	188,203	1,271,206	1,071,888

It will be seen that the Pittsburgh association reports a number that alone of all the country exceeds 1,000,000 cars in six months, even the depressing conditions of the past six not sinking the figure below that vast total.

Small Number of Railroads.

The Official Railway Guide shows 24 separate railroads in Chicago; 18 in St. Louis; 12 in New York; eight in Cleveland; 16 in Cincinnati, and only nine in Pittsburgh, counting the Pittsburgh & Western and Baltimore & Ohio separately and including the West Side Belt, Pittsburgh, Chartiers & Youghiogheny and the Castle Shannon. Reducing the number to allow for this it will be seen that there are but five Pittsburgh lines, including the new Wabash.

Pittsburgh's car report shows that in this city are handled between 8 and 10 per cent of all the freight cars of the country every day, but nothing like that proportion of railroads gain access here. That the Pittsburgh plum is the richest one in the transportation world today is realized by the railroad companies and Mr. Carter's statement that he has received numerous offers of financial backing to enable him to enter into the lake and rail business, which is so large a proportion of the local traffic, does not cause much wonder.

LITTLE BOY STOLEN FROM GREEK AT WASHINGTON, PA.

Harry Demaras Asks Help of New York Police—Traced Child to Pittsburgh.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Harry Demaras, a Greek candy manufacturer of Washington, Pa., tonight asked the police here to assist him in arresting Annie Palozzo, for whom he had a warrant, charging her with the abduction of his three-year-old son, James.

On Tuesday, Demaras says, the woman visited his house, took the child for a walk and did not return. He traced her and her husband and his child to Pittsburgh, he says, and there learned they had purchased tickets for New York, with the intention of sailing for Europe.

M. E. Missionary Bishops Confer.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—The four Methodist Episcopal missionary bishops for Southern Asia—James M. Thoburn, Frank W. Warne, John E. Robinson and William Oldham, concluded today a two-days' conference on the proposed India mission jubilee, more missionaries in Southern Asia, and conferences in Southern Asia.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived August 12.

New York—Phoenicia, from Hamburg.
Havre—La Champagne, from New York; Pretoria, from New York.
Bremen—Bremen, from New York, via Plymouth and Cherbourg.
Hamburg—Bulgaria, New York, via Dover.

Sailed August 12.

London—Ontarian, Montreal.
Genoa—Citta Dinapoli, for New York.
Copenhagen—Oscar II., for New York.
Dover—Bleicher, for New York.
Moville—Tunisian, Montreal; Astoria, New York.
Queenstown—Cretic, Boston.

Passed August 12.

Dunnet Head—Hellig Olav, New York, for Christiansand and Copenhagen; Island, New York, for Christiania, Copenhagen, etc.
Gibraltar—Panconia, New York, for Naples, Trieste and Fiume.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

FRIENDSHIP PARK—Pittsburgh Elks' midsummer nights' entertainment. Palm's spectacle, "Last Days of Pompeii," 8 p. m.
BIJOU—"Lighthouse by the Sea," 2 and 8 p. m.
ACADEMY—Son Ton Burlesques, 2 and 8 p. m.
KENNYWOOD PARK—Homestead Library band concerts, afternoon and evening, and daring ladder bicyclist act.
SOUTHERN PARK—"A Warm Match," musical comedy and vaudeville acts by Crimmins and Gore Company, afternoon and evening.

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Now Is the Time for a Vacation.

Take advantage of the Pennsylvania Railroad Seashore Excursion on August 18th. Tickets good 15 days. Rate $10.00 in coaches only, or $12.00 in parlor or sleeping cars, when accompanied by usual Pullman tickets. Special train leaves Pittsburg at 8:55 a. m. Evening trains at 4:25, 9:00 and 10:00 p. m., the ten p. m. with sleepers only.

$13.75 Boston and Return $13.25.
Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Ry., August 12, 13, 14 and 15.

Tickets good returning until September 30. Ten days' stop-over allowed at Niagara Falls. Get your tickets and reservations at ticket office, 504 Smithfield street, or depot, end Ninth street bridge, Allegheny.

Excursion to Ohio Pyle Every Sunday Via Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

Special train leaves Pittsburgh 8:10 a. m. Fare, $1.00 round trip.

MRS. MAYBRICK TALKS OF PRISON

She Tells of Her Suffering and Great Desire to Get to America.

MAY CHANGE HER NAME

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]
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LONDON, Aug. 12.—"A message to my friends. To you all I give my heartfelt thanks for your noble fight on behalf of an innocent and defenseless woman. I earnestly pray that the day is not far distant when the proof of the wrong that has been done to me may be granted.—Florence Maybrick."

Mrs. Maybrick gave the foregoing message to The Gazette correspondent today at the cottage home of her mother, the Baroness Roquess at Rouen.

"First let me ask you," she commenced, "to say how grateful I am to all the kind friends who have sent me and my mother messages and congratulations on my release. They come from all over the world.

"I have nothing to say of the trial," she said. "My mind is a blank about it. I only know the terrible injustice which was done me.

"How can I tell you of the horror of it all, for the first part of my sentence I was too stunned to do more than bear my burden as one in a dream. Then, when it all dawned on me, I feared my reason would break under it, as my health had done. At this space of time I can give you little idea of the torture of those first five years. I wonder now that I lived through it all.

"At first I had a long illness. My recovery was slow and I was glad when I was discharged from the hospital as the intervals between my letters and visits was shorter when I was at work outside and could earn more marks. It was only for my mother's sake that I wished to live at all.

"I shall go to America," she said, "to give testimony in a lawsuit there. It concerns some of my mother's and my own lands. Half an hour before the verdict was given at Liverpool I was told to sign a certain document by my then solicitor and I did so. Afterward I found I had unknowingly signed my property away, and I am claiming it again. This action will settle the question of my right to the lands. Nearly $1,000,000 is in dispute.

"I shall feel safer when I get to America. You can understand the feeling. I think once in New York I shall stay with friends until the law case is settled."

"And then what?" I asked.

"I cannot quite say," came the faltering reply. "I can only hope. I hope I may be permitted to get some little compensation in the life to come for the life that has been wasted. I want change of scene. I want to forget and I want to forgive. I have many kind-hearted friends and I should like to spend some time with them. Then I shall travel.

"Shall I change my name? I don't know. I am afraid I shall have little peace while I hold that of Maybrick, but why should it be so? Let me die out of memory.

"I have suffered enough, God knows. Make the rest of my days as easy as you can."

THE RUSSIAN FLEET DISPERSED BY JAPANESE

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squadron, but the latest dispatches from Shanghai seem to indicate that the Japanese were beaten off, though with what damage is not clear.

Though at least four Russian battleships appear to have reached the open sea the cruisers Pallada and Diana and one battleship remain unaccounted for. The injuries sustained by the battleship Czarevitch give her sanctuary in the harbor of Tsin-Chou, but the Novik is under notice served by the German authorities to leave. As she is very fast, being capable of making 23 knots an hour, there are strong hopes that she will escape unless there are Japanese cruisers awaiting her on the outside.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—A dispatch to Reuter's Telegram Company from St. Petersburg says that the Japanese armored cruiser Kasuga (formerly the Argentine warship Rivadavia) was sunk with all on board during the engagement off Port Arthur on Wednesday last.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 12.—(Night.)—The Russian protected cruiser Askold arrived at Woo-Sing today with her fifth funnel gone close to the deck, all funnels riddled with shell holes, one gun on the port side dismounted and several large shell holes above the water line. One lieutenant and 11 men had been killed and 50 wounded. It is reported that four Russian battleships are off the Saddle islands, about 70 miles southeast of this port. Three Russian cruisers are reported to have arrived at Tsing-Chou at the entrance of Kia-Chou bay.

CHEFOO, Aug. 12.—The German armored cruiser Feurst Bismarck has just left for the port of Tsing-Tau, in Kai-Chou bay. Her preparations were made in the greatest haste.

BERLIN, Aug. 12.—The foreign office confirms the arrival last night at Tsing-Chou, at the entrance of Kiao-Chou bay, the German concession on the Shantung peninsula, of the Russian battleship Czarevitch, the protected cruiser Novik and an unnamed torpedo boat. The Czarevitch is in an unseaworthy condition, having been damaged in Wednesday's fight. The foreign office is sending instructions today to the German authorities at Tsin-Chou that the Novik and the torpedo boat must leave the harbor within the 24 hours prescribed by international law.

Vice Admiral von Prittwitz, commanding the German East Asiatic squadron, telegraphs to the navy department that he sailed today from Chefoo, on board the armored cruiser Fuerst Bismarck for Tsin-Chou. The German cruiser Seeadler has sailed from Ching-Wan-Tao for Tsin-Chou.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Consul General Goodnow cabled the state department today from Shanghai that a Russian torpedo boat destroyer had just arrived there and that four Russian cruisers were expected tomorrow. It is understood here that if these vessels intend to remain more than 24 hours at Shanghai they must dismantle and remain tied up until the end of the war, else Germany will herself be guilty of a breach of neutrality. In the case of the Czarevitch, reported to be in an unseaworthy condition, the German authorities may allow emergency repairs before requiring her to leave the port, but the seaworthy vessels must go, taking only sufficient coal to move them to the nearest home port which would, in this case, probably be regarded as Vladivostok, 1,800 miles distant.

Japanese Buy More Ships.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—According to the Shipping Gazette, Japan has just ordered two large battleships of 15 knots, from Vickers, Maxim and Armstrong, in addition to the battleship already building there.

Senator Scott Is Much Better.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—United States Senator Scott of the Republican executive committee, who has been ill for a few days, is much better today and will be at headquarters again on Monday.

New Beaver Falls Teachers.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—The school board tonight elected Andrew Lester to succeed Principal John H. Bowers, who is at present in Germany studying. Mrs. Sarah Jackson McDonald was elected teacher of languages.

JAPAN SHAKES WORLD'S PEACE

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Admiral Sah accepted the word of honor of the Japanese commander, and allowed him to depart. The Chinese admiral is deeply chagrined at this occurrence and is ill as a result. He has turned the command of his squadron over to Capt. Ching.

Capt. Ching says that when the Japanese destroyers entered the harbor of Chefoo he sent an officer on board and assured Commander Fujimoto that the Rieshitelni was disabled and that his officers and crew had signed a parole. Later the admiral followed his messenger and personally repeated this information at length, whereupon Commander Fujimoto said he had no designs on the Rieshitelni. Admiral Sah next sent an officer in a small boat to the lightship which was near the Rieshitelni to watch developments.

Captain Fears Attack.

Capt. Shestakovsky, feeling insecure, requested that his ammunition and one torpedo be returned to him, or a Chinese cruiser prepare to guard him. To this the Chinese officer on the lightship replied that he had been ordered merely to report developments. Accordingly Capt. Shestakovsky assembled his crew and addressed them, saying that an attack was possible. All the men of the Rieshitelni spent that night on deck with life preservers under their heads.

When the lieutenant from one of the Japanese destroyers boarded the Rieshitelni at 3:30 o'clock in the morning, the crew which brought him with bayonets affixed to their rifles, followed their officer. Capt. Shestakovsky protested against this, saying: "I am unable to resist, but this is a breach of neutrality and courtesy."

Capt. Shestakovsky then secretly commanded one of his lieutenants to prepare gunpowder with which to blow up the Russian destroyer. To gain the time necessary to make ready for this step Capt. Shestakovsky argued international law with the Japanese officer, whose reply to all the contentions of the Russian officer was: "Come to the open sea and fight or prepare to be towed out."

Strikes His Insulter.

In the meantime the command was issued quietly to the Russian sailors to resist the Japanese with their fists in the manner which would be shown them by their captain.

Continuing his account of the occurrence, Capt. Shestakovsky said: "The Japanese officer told me to surrender as that as a prisoner my life would be spared. This insult so stung me that I struck the Japanese before I intended to. I was afraid that the explosive to blow up our vessel had not yet been prepared.

"My blow knocked the lieutenant overboard. In going he dragged me with him. He fell into his small boat alongside, while I fell into the water. I clung to his throat and pummeled him until my hold was broken."

The crew of the Rieshitelni had begun fighting with the Japanese sailors, who used their rifles and bayonets. The fighting men scuffled over the deck and fell overboard in struggling pairs, after the example accidentally set by their captain. Capt. Shestakovsky, seeing his men fighting on the deck of the destroyer, attempted to climb back on board and command them. He was shot at four times, and while in the water he received a deep wound in the right leg.

There were 51 Russian officers and men on board the Rieshitelni and up to this hour (noon), 35 have been accounted for. A number of the Japanese attackers also are believed to have perished.

Beaten Off With Boat-Hook.

Being unable to regain the deck of his ship, Capt. Shestakovsky swam toward a nearby junk, from which he was driven away by blows with a boat-hook. He remained in the water for 50 minutes, swimming in spite of his wound, and was finally picked up by one of the three boats sent out by the Hai-Yung. Capt. Ching cared for the Russian captain and two of his lieutenants in his own cabin. The Russian sailors rescued by the boats from the Hai-Yung exchanged their drenched clothing for the uniforms of Chinese sailors, in which garb they were brought ashore today to the Russian consulate.

Before leaving Chefoo, Commander Fujimoto sent an outline report of the occurrences of the night to the Japanese consul here. This report differs from that sent by the Associated Press only in that it does not say that the Japanese fired at the Russian soldiers while the latter were in the water. It adds that the commander was acting under his admiral's orders to fight or capture the Rieshitelni.

Capt. Shestakovsky is unable to explain why his vessel was not sunk by the explosive made for that purpose. He declares that he is disgraced, although the Russian refugees here insist that he is a hero. His sailors say that he told the Japanese officer to kill him, and that he would never surrender.

Probably Burned His Papers.

The nature of Capt. Shestakovsky's mission to Chefoo is not known, although it is doubtless important. During the interview with the Russian captain regarding the capture of his vessel it was inferred that valuable government papers were burned on board the Ryeshitelni before the Japanese boarding party arrived.

The local consuls are making careful reports of the occurrence of last night to their respective governments.

Russia Enters Protest.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 12.—Russia has formally protested to Japan, through France, against the action of the Japanese torpedo boat destroyers in attacking the Russian torpedo boat destroyer Ryeshitelni at Chefoo and towing her away from that port. The protest has been communicated to the powers.

This prompt action is based upon the official report of the Russian consul at Chefoo, which is very explicit on the subject of the dismantling of the Ryeshitchi. The consul also said that the Japanese fired upon the Russian sailors while they were in the water.

The case, so far as the facts are known, is considered much more flagrant than that at Chemulpo, where all the foreign commanders except the commander of the American warship there protested against the proposal of the Japanese to enter and fight the Russian cruisers Variag and Korietz in a neutral harbor. The only possible justification conceived for the Japanese torpedo boat destroyers is that the Russian destroyer may have first fired upon the Japanese and afterward entered the port of Chefoo.

Creates a Bad Precedent.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—The British officials and foreign diplomats regard the action of the Japanese in cutting out the Russian torpedo destroyer Ryeshitelni at Chefoo as raising a serious question of importance to all nations. The foreign officials received this morning a dispatch on the subject from the British consul at Chefoo. He evinced considerable concern, not so much at the fact that the attack was made on the destroyer as at the precedent established by Japan, which Russia may follow in case of emergency, thereby extending the area of hostilities, which Secretary Hay sought to circumscribe.

The foreign office believes that Japan will promptly disavow the action, even returning the Ryeshitelni to Chefoo, provided she is convinced that her officers acted wrongly.

Looks Bad for China.

PEKIN, Aug. 12.—The Chefoo incident is discussed freely here and it is the general opinion in diplomatic circles that Japan has committed, to say the least, a grave indiscretion. The report current here that the Chinese warships at Chefoo did nothing to prevent the capture of the Ryeshitelni is declared to place China in an unenviable position.

BUSINESS MEN'S CRUSADE MAKES THE POLICE BUSY

Seven Disorderly Houses Raided in the Warehouse District—Two Wagonloads of Prisoners. Councilmen Were Turned Down.

As a result of the complaints lodged by the downtown business men, exclusively printed in The Gazette, seven disorderly houses were raided by the police last night in the neighborhood of First and Second avenues and Grant and Water streets. The proprietors of these establishments had been warned by the police to keep their places closed. They violated this order, and Superintendent Wallace of the police bureau is now determined they will all have to leave the city or keep their houses closed permanently. These places are all in the new warehouse districts.

Sixty-four men and women were captured in the raid. The raid was conducted by Inspector Edward Kennelly and Capt. McEvoy with seven squads of officers. The police closed in on all houses at one time, and it required two patrol wagons to carry the prisoners to the Central station. A dozen councilmen from various wards on the hill and in the downtown district went to Superintendent Wallace to intercede for the women, but the police official waved them away, to their surprise.

In the house of Clara Brosie, at 428 Second avenue, eight women and one man were found; Margaret Brown, 430 First avenue, nine men and four women; Beckey Bell, 448 First avenue, five women and one man; Bessie Goodman, 107 Grant street, nine women and four men; Martha Kane, 105 Grant street, five women and three men; Mamie Smith, 103 Grant street, seven women and two men, and Sadie Dudley, colored, 437 Water street, three women and two men.

HEIR TO THE THRONE IS BORN IN RUSSIA

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the spirit of which many people have seen slowly forming throughout the empire, back from 10 to 20 years. The entire nation seems stimulated and a great reversal of form is anticipated in the far east.

The Grand Duke Vladimir, brother of the emperor, was the first to hurry with his congratulations to the czar. Messages of congratulations were sent from all parts of the empire.

Kuropatkin Sends Message.

One of the most interesting came from Gen. Kuropatkin. He telegraphed that the news had been spread throughout the army and navy in the far east and had everywhere been received with rejoicing.

The message of Count Tolstoy has not yet been made public.

The czar in recent years had been imbued with the idea that some fatality was pursuing him in his married life. Exoreisms, prayers, conferences with seers and makers of magic filled his time. Publicly he fervently prayed for a son in a great cathedral of St. Petersburg. A regular form of prayer was devised for him by the synod of the Russian church, and daily he prostrated himself before the ikons and made this plea:

"O Heavenly Father, grant this my prayer: lift from Thine unworthy servant this curse, and in Thy merciful forgiveness grant that I may have a son who may bring peace to my unhappy country. I know that I have sinned grievously; I have put my trust in men instead of relying upon heaven. My enemies are thirsting for my blood, and I know that there is no hand that can save me except thine, O Lord. All my cherished plans have come to naught because I have not humbly sought Thy blessing. I have sinned grievously and save me, O Lord, I beseech Thee most humbly."

Summoned Great Specialists.

At first the czar seemed inclined to summon great specialists to aid in securing an heir. The famous Dr. Schenck was brought from Germany. Physicians from France and Italy were called in to aid in the quest of an heir. But their services were of no avail, for in 1903 the czarina gave birth to the son, but the child was dead at birth.

So the czar turned to the soothsayers, the magic makers, the seers and sought from them the aid that he needed. He went into the desert of Sarow, and aided at the sanctification of St. Seraphim. He visited hermits and anchorites in their huts and held long consultations with them. By these means he hoped to avert the curse. But in vain until today.

So great was his disappointment that rumors had been current he was estranged from his wife. On several occasions it has been said that he would take steps to divorce her. It was said that the Greek church had prompted the czar to take this step, promising to aid him by presenting the grounds that the empress when she married the czar was not a Greek Catholic, and that, although she had espoused her husband's religion, was not even now a Greek Catholic at heart.

Up to today the Grand Duke Michael, only brother of the emperor, was heir presumptive. A powerful, healthy, ambitious man, born in 1878, Grand Duke Michael is much beloved by the people, and in recent years has been looked upon as the probable successor of Nicholas II. The birth of an heir to Russia's throne also disposes of the ambitions of the family of the Grand Duke Vladimir, eldest uncle of the emperor and father of Grand Dukes Cyril and Boris and Andre, and of the Grand Duchess Helena, wife of Prince Nicholas of Greece.

TRAIN'S NARROW ESCAPE.

Great Girders of Railway Bridge Are Overturned as Cars Near Structure.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—The northbound Boston express of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad this afternoon loosened the blocking under a 35-ton truss of the new driving bridge over the railroad at Two Hundred and Fortieth street and Bronx Park, and the truss turned over, precipitating three other trusses of the same weight, and a 20-ton girder to which they were attached, into the railroad cut. The last car of the express was about 300 feet beyond the bridge when the trusses fell. Five men were working on the truss that turned over and three of them fell. Frederick Hartman will probably die.

As soon as the crash came a flagman flagged the White Plains express going 40 miles an hour. It came to a stop about 100 yards below the bridge.

MEXICAN MURDERERS GET SUMMARY JUSTICE

EL PASO, TEXAS, Aug. 12.—The Mexican officials are meting out summary justice to the men who have been murdering American prospectors in Sonora. Munoz, one of the murderers, who was sentenced to be shot, has been taken to the scene of his crime, where he confessed and met death at the hands of a file of soldiers. Manuel Truxillo, another of the band under death sentence, jumped into the river while handcuffed, and is believed to have been drowned. Three others implicated by Munoz will be shot.

JAPANESE OFFICERS ARE LEADING CHINESE BODIES

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 12.—The emperor has received the following dispatch from Gen. Kuropatkin, dated August 11: "A forward movement of a small detachment of Japanese against the south front of the Manchurian army was observed today. Bands of Chinese bandits led by Japanese officers are beginning to appear in the region of the Liao river above Niuchwang."

Miners Go on Strike.

MONONGAHELA, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—The miners at shaft No. 1 of the Ellsworth Coal Company went out on strike this morning. President Patrick Dolan has gone to the scene of the trouble to see if an adjustment is not possible.

Low Fares to Louisville Via Pennsylvania Lines.

August 13 to 16, inclusive, account of K. of P. biennial encampment. Get particulars at Pennsylvania Lines ticket offices, or consult J. K. Dillon, District Passenger Agent, Room 515 Park building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

THE CABINET FACES A SERIOUS CRISIS

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of either belligerent to leave Kiao-Chau. It is hoped China will rigidly insist that all belligerent ships leave neutral Chinese ports within 24 hours after their arrival.

This dispatch came today to the state department from Minister Griscom at Tokyo:

"According to latest report received at headquarters, the Japanese fleet attacked the Russian fleet emerging from Port Arthur to the south of Round island, off Tallenwan. The Russian fleet, finally defeated, fled during the night. Cruisers Askold, Novik and one other, and one destroyer entered Kiao-Chau bay night of 11th; one destroyer fled to Chefoo; five battleships, one cruiser, probably Diana, hospital ship, several destroyers, returned to Port Arthur between dawn and mid-day of 11th. Apparently no damage to Japanese fleet."

A dispatch from United States Consul Fowler at Chefoo, also received today stated that two Japanese destroyers had entered the harbor, attacked and cut out the Russian destroyer which had fled there for refuge.

The policy of Secretary Hay in regard to the neutrality of China now becomes of extreme interest. Coincident with the outbreak of the hostilities on February 8 there had been a general interchange of opinions between the United States and Germany regarding the restriction of the zone of hostilities. The German government, fearful that the war would drive the north of China wild, fright en the dowager empress away from Pekin and throw the Chinese empire into confusion, sounded the United States government. Baron Sternberg conferred with President Roosevelt and Mr. Hay returned to Washington from Thomasville, Ga. The result was that the United States undertook to bring about an agreement of the powers to respect the neutrality of China during the war. Germany would have initiated the move, but the disinterestedness of the United States was deemed requisite to its success.

Mr. Hay dispatched to each power a note stating that for the same reasons which caused them to subscribe to the integrity of China at the time of the Boxer outbreak, the "administrative entity" of China be preserved in the Russo-Japanese war. Restriction of the zone of hostilities so that there would be less danger of the number of belligerents becoming greater was set forth as the measure necessary to this end. Germany promptly acquiesced.

Following the acceptance by the other great and small powers, Secretary Hay sent another note to them outlining as the zone of war all of Russia and Japan, Manchuria and Korea. Contented with the general acceptance of the principle, no effort was made to outline a course of international action in the event of its violation.

If it is proved that the Japanese really cut out the Russian destroyer at Chefoo, there is no doubt that a grave violation of international law has been committed.

Consul General Goodnow cabled the state department today from Shanghai that a Russian torpedo boat destroyer had just arrived there and that four Russian cruisers were expected tomorrow. It is understood here that if these vessels intend to remain more than 24 hours at Shanghai they must dismantle and remain tied up until the end of the war. Probably the treaty of peace which will finally conclude the war between Russia and Japan will contain a paragraph making disposition of the Russian vessels which have thus taken refuge in Chinese waters. If Japan is the victor she will probably claim the ships, otherwise they will be again armed and return to Russian ports.

Gen. Carpenter Dead.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Brig.-Gen. Gilbert S. Carpenter, United States army, retired, died tonight at his residence in Mont Clair, N. J. He was born in Meoma, O., April 17, 1836. He entered the army as lieutenant of the Nineteenth Ohio volunteers, and was breveted captain for gallantry at Stone River, where he was wounded. He served in the Indian campaigns after the conclusion of the war. He was sent to the relief of Garcia, and served during the Spanish-American war in the campaign around Santiago.

Italian Murdered and Robbed.

ALTOONA, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—After being beaten into insensibility Andy Viedezlio, employed at Baker's mines, was robbed of $250 by footpads while he was on his way to visit a friend last night. The man was found lying in the road later. He died while he was being taken to the Altoona hospital. An Italian who had declared that he would kill Viedezlio is under arrest.

Newboys to See Fireworks.

The lads in the Newsboys Home were made happy last night when the superintendent announced at supper that they had an invitation to see the Palm's fireworks display. Through the courtesy of G. E. Raymond of the fireworks company, and Thomas J. Kirk, Jr., manager for the Elks, the boys will go in a body tonight to witness the "Fall of Pompeii."

Turnkey Is Resting Easy.

Owen M. Lewis, turnkey at Central station, who attempted suicide Thursday morning by shooting himself in the breast at his home at No. 2710 Jane street, was resting easy at the South Side hospital yesterday. His condition, however, is still critical.

Japan Holds Back Transports.

TIEN TSIN, Aug. 12.—The Japanese transports, which are now lying at Niuchwang have been forbidden to depart, presumably because of the fear that they might be subjected to danger at sea.

BUSHELS OF COAL ARE BEING TAKEN FROM RIVER

The Ohio river is now at such a low stage opposite Coraopolis that residents along the river bank are not only supplying themselves with coal from the sunken barges which were dynamited last spring, but are selling it to other residents.

It is years since the water was so low around Neville island, and it is no trouble to load flatboats with the coal and tow it to land. It is said there are more than 200,000 bushels of coal in the river at this point, which have been abandoned.

KILLED HERSELF BECAUSE LONELY

Mrs. Carey Ran in Front of a Car Because Her Sons Had Married.

OTHER DEATHS BY VIOLENCE

Because she was lonely, Mrs. O. S. Carey, aged 52, of 319 East Lacock street, Allegheny, ended her life yesterday morning by throwing herself in front of a Bloomfield street car at Eighth street and Penn avenue. She was mangled and died on the way to the Mercy hospital. Her sons had married and left her, and it is thought she became despondent. At the morgue a letter was found on her. It read:

Paul—Forgive me when you read this, for I will be dead. I can't help doing this, as I was so awfully unhappy. You have been very good to me, and I guess would be yet, only I can't be second. Take me to Kane to bury me, and then forget me, as I was only a crank.

The woman had four sons, Orrin Paul, Charles, Ralph and Homer. The last three are glass workers. Mrs. Carey lived with her son Paul since May 20. He was taken ill with typhoid fever and she came to this city from Kane to nurse him. Paul was married last spring at Kane. Last Monday he went to his wife's home to recuperate.

Homer went to Columbia, S. C., several weeks ago and secured employment there for himself and brothers, Ralph and Charles, in a new glass works. These two boys with their wives left for Columbia yesterday. Their mother had arranged to meet them at the railroad station, but failed to get there in time to see them leave.

Coroner McGeary succeeded in reaching her son Charles in Baltimore last night. The boy asked the coroner to turn his mother's body over to an undertaker and he would come to the city at once. Mrs. Carey separated from her husband some 20 years ago. Her husband makes his home in Allegheny, but at present is traveling with a carnival company in Ohio.

Rioavia Fohunto, an Italian, aged 58, a miner, died at the South Side hospital yesterday from injuries received in the Imperial mines by slate falling on him Thursday.

James Fleming, a saloonkeeper of 6205 Penn avenue, was held by the coroner's jury yesterday to await the action of the grand jury on a charge of murder of John McDonald, of 346 Lehigh avenue, who died at the East Charity hospital early Wednesday morning from an abscess on the brain.

The men fought over a real estate transaction July 8 in Attorney Thomas M. Brown's office. McDonald went to his home after the fray and told his family he had been ill-used by Fleming. Physicians A. J. Barchfeld and J. C. Ralston, who held the post mortem examination on McDonald, testified he died from an abscess on the brain, but they were not of the opinion the abscess had been caused by a blow. William McM. Herron, an employe of Attorney Brown, testified he saw Fleming hit McDonald a light blow in the face. The jury were about to retire when Attorney John C. Haymaker, who represents the McDonald family, protested that the hearing was incomplete and the jury was recalled. James McDonald, a brother of the dead man, was called to the stand and he told of his brother coming home with his shirt torn and covered with blood. McDonald said his brother told him that Fleming had struck him. The jury retired a second time and held Fleming. He was released on $1,000 bail.

Hannah Sample, aged 22, a domestic employed at Hays borough, near Homestead, committed suicide early yesterday morning by drinking phenol. It is said the woman was in ill-health.

John A. Rogers, aged 30, a freight brakeman on the Pennsylvania railroad, was killed in the yards near Union station at 2 o'clock this morning. He is said to have been caught while coupling cars.

Proposed Billet Conference.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Alexis W. Thompson, president of the Republic Iron and Steel Company, has been in Saratoga conferring with John W. Gates on the recent billet conversion contract. It is believed that a conference on billets will be held here Sunday. It is understood that a committee will be appointed to act.

Prisoners Escape from Erie Jail.

ERIE, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Four prisoners awaiting trial for burglary and larceny escaped from the new jail tonight. They are Herbert Bashman, Rollo Geneshelmer, Ambrose Adams and George Wittman.

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DALZELL GOES TO CLOSE DISTRICTS

Speaks During Campaign Under Assignment from National Congressional Committee.

BIGELOW BOOMED FOR MAYOR

Congressman John Dalzell, having offered his services to the Republican party in the coming presidential campaign, has been placed at the disposal of the national congressional committee and during the entire campaign he will speak only in close congressional districts throughout the country. As one of the leading exponents of protection and other Republican doctrines in the national house of representatives, brought into still greater prominence by his debate with W. Bourke Cochran, he is in demand in all parts of the country.

"The national campaign will open about the middle of September and I expect to begin then a number of speeches which will be delivered in the close congressional districts. Of course, I will do anything that the people at home may ask of me," said Mr. Dalzell yesterday.

Mr. Dalzell said the Republicans were sending copies of the Congressional Record containing his speech and that of Cochran throughout the country.

Mayor Hays says the Citizens leaders and followers of the Citizens party would support the Republican candidates for congress. It is a fact, however, that a couple of weeks ago the Citizens leaders worked hard to persuade Congressman James W. Brown to put up $10,000 and make the fight for re-election against Dr. Barchfield in the South Side district, but Brown did not think the season prophitous and declined.

The honor of Democratic nominations in this county can be had for the asking. The Democratic leaders are in a quandary to get some of the unterrified to be put up and be knocked down. They are not meeting with much encouragement. It is believed that Attorney William J. Brennen will finally be forced to run against James Burke in the downtown district, but Brennen declares he will not take the empty honor unless no other can be persuaded to endure the sacrifice.

The latest development in city politics is the booming of Director Bigelow for mayor by some of his devoted councilmen. Evan Jones, the former select councilman from the Thirty-sixth ward, gave an interview to a West End paper strongly advocating Bigelow for mayor in name, as well as in fact. It is said that the suggestion has not incurred the displeasure of Bigelow.

The Republicans of the Eleventh ward intend to maintain their old-time reputation of having a crack marching club in the coming campaign. To devise ways and means a meeting will be held in the Moorhead school on September 1, to consider the liberal offers of support that have already been made.

WILL SUPPORT A WIFE ON WEEKLY SALARY OF $3

Unusually Young Couple Content to Get Married Upon an Unusually Small Income.

Marriage is no failure. Charles Kingenfelser, aged 18, of No. 2316 Josephine street, who makes $3 a week, yesterday was granted a license by the clerk of the Allegheny county courts to marry Miss Lena Panicello, aged 15.

Marriage License Clerk Herman Hegner raised the point that they were rather young to undertake the responsibilities of wedded life, but the would-be bride and her parents were more than willing, and the bridegroom's mother finally consented, so that the arrangements for the tying of the nuptial knot went on without interruption. The bride's father remarked that it was well to begin early, and his advice was followed.

This marriage will establish an important precedent and will frustrate the doubts imposed by marriageable men who earn good salaries, but who decline to marry because they declare they cannot support a wife. The records of the marriage license office show that men who make the best salaries are in the minority, and that it is the men who have the modest incomes who are the most willing to assume the burden of married bliss. If young Kingenfelser can make good with $3 a week, it is argued that every bachelor over 30 should be taxed.

The bridegroom's mother in delaying her consent said that it was the doings of Miss Panicello's parents, who wanted to get rid of their daughter. The girl said she loved the young man and wanted no delay in getting him. It was a case where Cupid played the part of the early bird, and he won out with a vengeance.

Hospital Is Almost Ready.

The work of fitting up the property of the Suburban General hospital at Bellevue is almost completed. Dr. W. W. McCleery, secretary of the board of directors, stated yesterday that the doors of the hospital will be opened by Monday, August 22, and possibly a few days earlier. At the next meeting of the directors the formal dedication of the hospital will be arranged to take place in September.

Croatian Says Wife Eloped.

Joso Korsa, a Croatian living at 64 Irvine street, reported to the police yesterday that his wife, whom he brought from Europe to marry, had eloped with a boarder, Gagon Sabolovlem, and taken his savings amounting to $400. He has offered a reward of $30 for information as to their whereabouts and thinks they are either in Connellsville or Chicago. He will hunt for them.

George S. Fleming Still Very Ill.

It was stated last evening at his residence that the condition of George S. Fleming, select councilman from the First ward, is unchanged. He is still very ill and on Thursday night had a turn for the worse. He recovered somewhat, however, and was said to be resting more easily last evening.

Awarded the Garbage Contract.

Sheraden council, at a special meeting last night, awarded the annual garbage hauling contract to M. H. Wilhere, whose bid was $100 a month. Warrants were drawn for all bills owed by the borough. The secretary was instructed to hold them until money gets into the treasury.

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M'ELROY QUITS ADMINISTRATION

President of Allegheny Common Council Leaves Wyman Forces to Join Republicans.

ECHO OF FRANCHISE FIGHT

President Samuel McElroy of Allegheny common council has quit the administration forces in council and will go along with the Republican element in that body. His support for the remainder of the session will be tendered measures sponsored by the Republican wing of the common branch and the influence he has wielded so potently for the Wyman administration during the past two years will be exerted toward the furtherance of Republican policy.

Behind this action of President McElroy is a story of trouble between him and the Wyman councilmanic leaders dating back several months. It had its inception during the fight made over the ordinance to grant the Baltimore & Ohio railroad a grade-crossing franchise over Grant avenue, between South avenue and the Point bridge. Prior to that time McElroy and the Wyman leaders had been a unit in working and voting for measures favored by the administration. A notable instance of this was shown when the bitter fight was made last summer to abolish the delinquent tax office. At that time President McElroy lined up the six members of common council from the Second ward for Harry M. Davidson, the delinquent tax collector, and was instrumental in holding steady several wavering members whose hesitancy promised at times to bring success to those who favored the abolition of the office.

When the Baltimore & Ohio asked for the Grant avenue right of way the Wyman machine threw its weight into the battle. Director Scandrett had a quarrel with the Baltimore & Ohio officials that was directly responsible for the antagonism which resulted in the defeat of the measure in the common branch. McElroy at that time worked for the passage of the bill, and the desertion of those whom he had supported and lent assistance to in past fights brought about the first quarrel that now has its sequel in McElroy's repudiation of the administration.

The result of the loss of McElroy will be the successful passage through councils of the measure now pending that has for its objective the placing of the delinquent tax collector on a salary of $4,000 per year. The ordinance was introduced at the July meeting by Robt. L. Henderson of the Third ward. It is now in a special committee, in which a large majority favors its passage. It will be favorably reported from committee in September and the fight in both branches will follow.

There is no doubt of its success in the select branch and with the loss of McElroy and those whom he can control, there seems little doubt of the outcome in common council. Last year the original delinquent tax measure was defeated because of the lack of a legal majority, the Republicans losing by one vote. Several of those who voted for Davidson last summer have openly declared their willingness to support the present ordinance, as it gives to the delinquent tax collector a salary equal to that paid the department directors and in addition adds about $20,000 a year to the resources of the city.

With the loss of President McElroy and several others who have pledged their support to Henderson's ordinance, the passage of the bill seems assured, and it is being reported that no fight will be made by the administration to retain the delinquent tax office on its present basis. This talk is given color by the fact that the terms of all the members of common council expire next April and the desire for re-election has prompted some to wish to be seen in the character of economists, rather than to openly declare and vote against a measure that will benefit the city treasury.

LABOR DAY COMMITTEE ARRANGED FINE PROGRAM

Mayor William B. Hays Agreed to Issue Proclamation on Workmen's Holiday.

The souvenir committee of the Labor day celebration met last night and awarded the contract for the printing of the program for the exercises to take place on the workingmen's holiday, September 5. The book will be the largest ever issued.

The sports and prizes committee announced, after a short meeting yesterday afternoon, that the events at Schenley park will commence at 3 o'clock. Heretofore they began at 2 o'clock, but in order that the program of oratory may not be interfered with, the committee decided to start the events one hour later. The committee has sufficient prizes, and on next Wednesday will complete the program.

A sub-committee of the general committee conferred with Mayor Hays yesterday and asked the city's executive to issue a Labor day proclamation, which he agreed to do. In his proclamation he will request all business houses to close September 5.

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Member of Sports and Prizes Committee.

Site Is Not in the Borough.

The school board of Whittaker borough, near Homestead, yesterday discovered that the site which they have leased for 10 years for a school, and on which work was about to begin, is not in the borough, but a part of Mifflin township, and, therefore, not eligible. The matter will be considered at the next meeting.

Fell Into a Planer.

Frank Fasho, a Slav of 1026 Gladstone street, Allegheny, while at work in the plant of the American Locomotive works on Beaver avenue yesterday fell from the second floor to the first floor and alighted on a planer which was in motion. He was badly squeezed about the breast and hips.

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INJUNCTION MAY STOP FILTRATION

Larkin Hears Millions Will Be Loaned to Build Trolley Lines.

SELECT SAFE, SAYS BIGELOW

Controller Larkin said yesterday he believed that if the city administration issued $5,000,000 bonds at one time the parties back of the bond project would have an injunction brought in court to prevent the money being used immediately for filtration, and to keep it in the banks for at least two years and possibly longer.

"The anxiety of the administration is not to give the people filtration but to get the money in the banks and to keep it there at a low rate of interest for the city, and possibly a good rate of interest for the syndicate. I have heard it is the intention to loan the money for the purpose of building the boulevard traction road, but I do not know that such is a fact.

"I received a letter from a prominent man in the east today and he asked me if it was not the purpose of the administration to loan the money from the filtration bond sale to build the Verner traction lines. He said that he had heard that the Philadelphia Company would not buy the franchises from the Verner syndicate, but would buy the road after it was in operation. It will take a large amount of money to build these lines.

Done by the Syndicate.

"If the bonds are sold you may look for an injunction to stop the work and to retard it for a couple of years or more by long litigation in the courts. I will not be one to take such a step. If it is taken it will be by some person acting for the syndicate which is running the affairs of the city and which wishes to get the use of the bond money rather than give the people pure water. The $2,158,000 in the treasury from the bond issue of 1900 for filtration will last a couple of years before there will be any necessity for drawing upon the $5,000,000, even with the present extravagant administration in power."

Controller Larkin made reply yesterday to the attack on him by Mayor Hays the day before, published in The Gazette, in which the mayor declared that Larkin was a "crank," and could not be re-elected. The controller declared that he was in the fight to stay, and he would not retire unless defeated by the people.

"Larkin will not be a candidate for controller again, at least he won't be a candidate on any ticket unless it is on the Larkin or Orphans ticket. He will not be indorsed by either the Democrats or Republicans," said Director Bigelow yesterday.

Appropriation Bill Enough.

Bigelow said that the hold-up of the filtration pay roll by Larkin had been placed in the hands of Solicitor Rodgers, and he would act as Rodgers advised. He was asked whether he would go into court and ask for a mandamus to compel the controller to pay the salaries of the filtration bureau, or whether he would have councils pass a special appropriation ordinance.

"Councils could easily pass a special appropriation bill, but I do not think it is necessary, because councils passed an appropriation ordinance in 1900 directing specifically that $2,500,000 be set aside for the purposes of filtration," said he.

"Assistant City Solicitor Carnahan was in my office today, and he said that the appropriation bill of 1900 was sufficient and that the controller's position was wrong."

The city officials and the bankers held another conference yesterday to dicuss the prospect of passing the bond ordinance in select council on Monday. While there are indications of opposition in select council, Bigelow said the measure will have smooth sailing, and that it will be through both branches of councils Monday afternoon. He also said that enough votes would be secured in select council on Monday to suspend the rules and pass the traction ordinances of the Pittsburgh Railways Company finally in the upper branch Monday. Bigelow said if councils on Monday acted as he expected, he would leave at once on several weeks' vacation.

MORE TROUBLE FOR JAHN.

Star Witness in the Schopfer Case Is Charged With Forgery and False Pretense—Still in Jail.

Two more informations against J. Henry Jahn, in jail on charges growing out of the Schopfer murder case, were made yesterday before Alderman McMasters.

The informations are made by George Assilmeyer and wife of Ravine street, Allegheny, through their attorneys, O'Brien and Ashley, and charge Jahn with forgery and false pretense. The Assilmeyers, it is alleged, were the possessors of a house and lot at Fleck and Ravine streets, Allegheny, on which they owed some back taxes and a mortgage. In their trouble they went to Jahn, who agreed, it is alleged, to take the property into his care, pay off the debts against it and return it to the couple at the end of a certain period. They signed what they supposed was an agreement. This was June 7, 1901.

Five months later, it is alleged, the property was deeded over to John J. Miller for $3,000, one Barbara Wigley appearing as the owner. During the time elapsing Jahn, it is said, collected rent amounting to $200 from the Assilmeyers, they believing that it was to be applied to the debt contracted with Jahn. The commitments were lodged against Jahn at the jail.

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Hays and Bigelow Made Themselves Scarce at City Hall All Day.

TRYING TO AVOID REVOLT

Mayor Hays and Director Bigelow made themselves scarce about the city hall yesterday to avoid a horde of men who wanted railroad passes. The mayor was absent all day and Bigelow once stole in and out of the hall late in the afternoon to avoid the crowd in his outer office. Bigelow arrived and departed without the knowledge of a group of councilmen and a dozen others who had been waiting hours for him to appear.

The mayor caused it to be given out at his office that he had gone out of the city, although it is stated that he had gone only to Allegheny. He was at 3:30 in the afternoon apprised over the telephone that it would not be safe to venture in the hall, as a big crowd was still waiting for him. The action of the railroads in shutting off the railroad passes and the failure of Mayor Hays and Director Bigelow to obtain a larger supply has not lessened the demand for free transportation.

The fact that the $5,000,000 bond bill is pending has caused councilmen to insist on more passes. The city officials have been forced to promise the councilmen to have a more liberal supply on hand, but they have been unable to make good these promises.

The administration officials look to keep the councilmen from revolt by promises until the bond bill has been passed finally by councils on Monday. Among those urgent in seeking passes yesterday were two Republican councilmen won over to the administration for the bond bill. They fared no better than the Citizens councilmen. One former Republican member kept the elevator and stairs hot between the offices of the mayor and the director, but failed to connect with either official.

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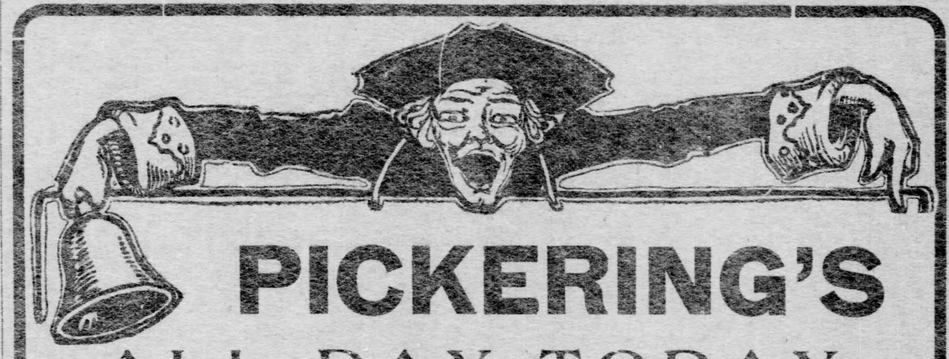

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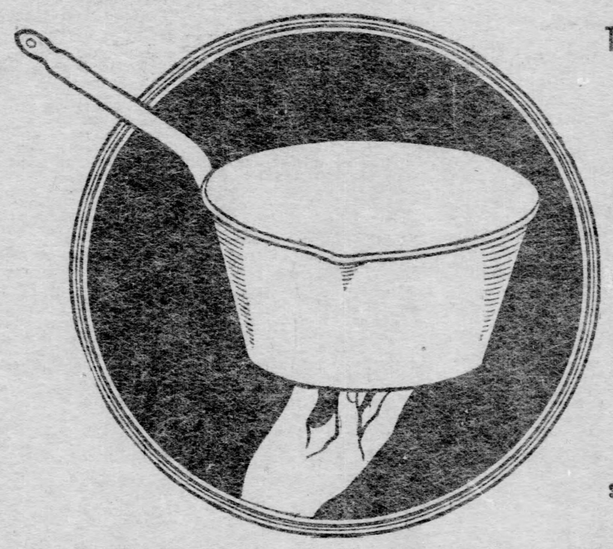

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Arkansas	127,866	149,347
California	303,793	296,503
Colorado	221,336	189,687
Connecticut	180,118	174,390
Delaware	41,982	51,460
Florida	38,031	48,461
Georgia	122,715	163,961
Idaho	57,914	26,695
Illinois	1,131,824	1,090,889
Indiana	664,064	687,137
Iowa	570,800	521,547
Kansas	353,766	336,154
Kentucky	488,888	445,775
Louisiana	67,904	101,046
Maine	105,720	118,593
Maryland	264,511	250,842
Massachus'ts	414,801	401,568
Michigan	544,375	544,402
Minnesota	316,411	341,539
Mississippi	59,105	70,545
Missouri	683,656	674,019
Montana	63,641	53,247
Nebraska	241,443	223,245
Nevada	10,196	10,315
New Hamps'e	92,356	86,870
New Jersey	401,050	371,014
New York	1,547,912	1,423,876
North Carol'a	232,669	329,710
North Dakota	57,705	47,979
Ohio	1,040,073	1,009,225
Oregon	84,182	87,357
Pennsylvania	1,178,210	1,194,455
Rhode Island	66,368	54,785
S. Carolina	50,815	68,907
S. Dakota	96,131	82,950
Tennessee	271,623	320,090
Texas	412,290	544,736
Utah	63,189	78,022
Vermont	56,216	63,844
Virginia	264,095	394,604
Washington	107,324	63,583
West Virginia	226,870	159,221
Wisconsin	442,894	447,411
Wyoming	25,459	20,863
Total vote	13,961,566	13,923,378

Total vote includes scattering vote

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White Canvas Oxfords, $3.50.

Again we are ready this morning with a fair sized collection of this style of oxford now at the height of popularity.

We have put in the week searching the market for White Canvas Oxfords, and only found a supply along about Thursday. They arrived yesterday—none too soon, for in all our experience there never was such a demand for a faddish shoe as there has been for the oxford of white canvas.

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Kindly make your selection today before 1 P. M.

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AND

Heroes of the North and the South

By GEN. JOE WHEELER

are two notable articles that will appear tomorrow in the Editorial Section of

The Sunday Gazette

While the Heroes of '61 are gathering in Boston those who stay at home should read these articles.

Other special features of tomorrow's paper will be—

How the British Employer Insures His Workmen
BY PRESIDENT JOHN MITCHELL.

Strenuous Presidents Before Roosevelt
BY GUSTAV KOBBE.

Minister Leishman's Troubles With Abdul Hamid
BY JOHN ELFRETH WATKINS.

The Crushing Blow to the Democrats
BY COL. A. K. M'CLURE.

The Marvels of the Grand Canyon
BY CHARLES M. BREGG.

Midsummer Gossip From the Nation's Capital
BY LOUIS W. STRAYER.

Books and Bookmen
BY GEORGE SEIBEL

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BY ERASMUS WILSON

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Saturday, August 13, 1904.

The Gazette desires to call the attention of those of its readers who contemplate summer trips to the announcements of the many summer resort hotels published on page 12 of this issue.

The detailed account of the capture of the Russian torpedo boat destroyer in the harbor of Chefoo shows that it was a flagrant breach of neutrality. Had the Chinese admiral been a man of action and decision, it might have gone hard with the Japanese, as it was his duty to defend the neutrality of the port, and he would have been fully justified in firing upon the Japanese. There can be no doubt that it was a case of excess of zeal on the part of the Japanese commander, and that his action will be disavowed and reparation made, as it is entirely opposed to the policy which Japan has announced and to which she has heretofore strictly conformed.

It is reported that President McElroy of Allegheny common council has allied himself with the Republican members. This shift of political force may have considerable effect upon legislation. The ordinance carrying into effect the charter provisions for abolishing the delinquent tax collectorship sinecure was barely defeated, and when the measure comes up again there is now a prospect that it will be passed. This is one of the reforms to which the Citizens party was pledged, but when it got into power it abandoned the cause of reform and devoted its energies to perpetuating all the old abuses and inventing some new ones.

Russia's reply to Great Britain in the case of the Knight Commander, which was sunk by Russian ships on the allegation that it was carrying contraband and that it could not be taken before a prize court, emphasizes the fact that the czar's government intends to stand by its previous declaration. Russia, however, promises that "there will be no more neutral vessels before a prize court." The only plea under which a neutral vessel can be sunk is that it cannot be taken to port without weakening the crew of the vessel making the capture. This position is, however, such a radical alteration in international law that it is meeting with determined resistance.

The Mexican government is making prompt reparation in the case of the two American citizens who were shot and killed by drunken Mexican officials. A telegram from El Paso says that Police Commandant Torres, Aguas Calientes and the two policemen who were implicated in the killing are now under sentence of death. The only offense of the Americans was a refusal to speak to Commandant Torres while he was under the influence of liquor. An attempt to arrest them was resisted, and their killing followed. The fact that Torres is a relative of the famous Indian fighter of that name has served to delay the execution of the sentence against the accused men, but it is not believed that they will escape final punishment. The prompt action of the Mexican government shows that the government has a proper regard for its international obligations.

Coincident with the arrival of the American fleet at Smyrna, Turkish officials called upon Minister Leishman in a conciliatory mood, and are making an endeavor to draft a reply to the United States that will prove satisfactory to this government. Minister Leishman is again assured that the American demands will be complied with, and that there will be no cause for action that would end in the severance of diplomatic relations. These promises would mean nothing if it were not for the presence of American warships, but under present conditions we may feel assured that the trouble has been practically settled. There could be no reason for Turkish officials taking such an attitude at this time if they did not intend to keep their promises. The American vessels, now that they are in Turkish waters, will remain there until the case is closed one way or the other, and the sultan's advisers undoubtedly fully appreciate the situation.

Even the seriousness of the situation in the far east will not prevent a wave of rejoicing throughout Russia because of the arrival of an heir to the crown. It has been the greatest sorrow in the life of the czar that no son came to follow him on the throne of his ancestors. It has been reported that he has even contemplated issuing a decree that would give the succession to his eldest daughter, but the happy event of yesterday would seem to have solved the whole difficulty. It is a strange turn of the wheel of fate that brings the czar's greatest happiness in the midst of the greatest crisis in his reign, but the birth of a son will have the effect of causing the masses of the people, who regard the czar as almost a divine being, to believe that Providence has chosen the present time of trial for vouchsafing its greatest favor, and that the advent of an heir to the throne is also the augury of a favorable issue of the eastern war.

The "reorganizers" of the Democratic party are now facing a revolt among the western and southern wings of the party because they have been ignored in arrangements for the campaign. Protests are being received at the national headquarters in New York because none but eastern men have received recognition, and because present plans indicate that the west will be left to fight its own battles, while the strength of the party machinery is concentrated in the east. The revolt is so strong that the party managers are trying to devise some plan of conciliation. It was intended to establish an "advisory board" to include some of the silver members of the party, but now this is not accepted as sufficient recognition. It will probably be found necessary to open some sort of headquarters in the west to satisfy the silver element. The main point is to placate the west, as the south is sure to take care of itself. Underlying the arrangements which the party leaders are making is the effort to hold the organization in their hands for 1908.

A Tremendous Sea Fight.

Admiral Togo's characteristically brief report shows that there was a general engagement between the Japanese fleet and the Port Arthur fleet. The sally of the Russian fleet recalls the attempt of the Spanish fleet to escape from Santiago, but the Russian fleet was evidently in better condition and was able to put up a better fight. Reading between the lines of Admiral Togo's curt account, one can see that desperate deeds of heroism were performed. The Russians, although overmatched, must have fought well, as Togo reports that severe fighting lasted from 1 o'clock until sundown, and only until the close did the fire of the Russian ships weaken and their formation become confused. No other naval battle on such a large scale has been fought since armored vessels were introduced.

It appears that the Russian fleet took advantage of the approach of darkness to scatter and flee to any available refuge. The cruiser Askold has arrived at Woosung plainly showing the scars of the conflict and bearing many dead and wounded. It is the belief of the Japanese admiral that the Russian battleship Czarevitch was sunk, as lifebuoys and other articles belonging to her were found floating in the sea. If this was the case, there was probably a large loss of life. The general result of the engagement is that the Port Arthur fleet as such is gone. Vessels which put into neutral ports must either leave and fall into the hands of the Japanese or else be dismantled. The ships that made their way back to Port Arthur have practically no choice left but to be destroyed or else eventually fall into the hands of the Japanese when the fortress surrenders. Their commanders will probably prefer to blow them up. The Japanese admiral reports that his fleet sustained little damage, its fighting power being unimpaired, while the casualties number only about 170. It is this feature of the case rather than the defeat of the Russians that signalizes the victory, as the Japanese fleet was much the stronger. That the Russians, fighting with the desperate courage which they displayed, were not able to inflict greater damage showed that their gunnery was not very effective. Upon sea as upon land the Japanese appear to be superior in fighting ability.

A Democratic Invasion.

News from the east would indicate that the Democrats are inclined to waste a great deal of ammunition. They have practically given up hope of carrying Indiana and Illinois, which they were claiming with great gusto only a short while ago, and are now arranging to concentrate their efforts on New York, New Jersey and other eastern states. Their congressional committee is also casting covetous eyes toward several Pennsylvania districts, and Secretary Edwards expresses the belief that two or more of these districts can be carried. Of these, the strongest claims are made in the Twentieth, now represented by Mr. Lafean, and the Tenth, represented by Mr. Connell, both in the eastern end of the state. In neither case is there great danger of Republican failure. True, Mr. Pattison carried the Twentieth for governor, but at the same time Mr. Lafean carried it by a comfortable majority. If the district could not be carried by the Democrats with the aid of Mr. Pattison on the same ticket, it is hard to see how they can hope to do so this year with no such aid. In the Twentieth great frauds were perpetrated at the last election, and the Democrats carried the district on the face of the returns. But their candidate was unseated. With an honest election this district is perfectly safe and the Republicans will see that the election is fairly conducted this year.

The Democrats are merely showing their lack of wisdom by trying to invade Pennsylvania, of all states. The great prosperity and the rapid industrial growth of this state is very largely due to Republican policies. True, it has great natural advantages, but the development of these advantages has been made easier and more rapid under the protective system, and the people of Pennsylvania realize that the Democratic policy of free trade is aimed more directly at them than at the people of any other section. It is largely a manufacturing state, and all sections where there are great manufacturing industries can be counted upon to stand by the policy that has made their growth more rapid and more secure. This leaves Pennsylvania districts out of the question of possible gains by the Democracy.

The Democratic party leaders seem to be thoroughly demoralized this year. They have utterly failed to put out a united front to meet their opponents. The lack of wisdom shown at St. Louis has been followed by mistakes at every turn. And far from the least of them is their threatened attempt to invade Pennsylvania.

The Business Situation.

Several conflicting influences were at work during the past week, the effect of which was to leave the situation practically unchanged. The unfavorable influences were the spread of labor troubles, the newest factor being the lockout in the building trades in New York. Some additions were also made to the ranks of idle workmen connected with the meat packing industry. No change occurred in the strike of New England cotton mill operatives. The interruptions to business caused by these strikes, together with the economies being introduced by the large corporations, especially the railroads, have the effect of reducing the buying power of the public, and retail mercantile trade is diminished thereby. This is particularly true of articles classed as luxuries. One of the best illustrations of the difference between the position of the public now and two years ago is furnished by railroad passenger traffic. Two years ago the railroads were taxed to furnish accommodations for the better class of travel, and tourists will recall the difficulty in securing sleeping berths on demand. Satisfactory service in this respect could only be obtained by ordering ahead. Now all the railroads are complaining of the light travel to the St. Louis exposition, and from present appearances it is doubtful if any corporation which made special expenditures on account of the exposition will realize first cost.

Another incident which has had a somewhat chilling effect was the announcement of a deal between the Pittsburgh Steel Company and the Republic Iron and Steel Company, whereby the former has supplied itself with steel billets at a price variously estimated at $3 to $4 a ton below the public market price quoted by the large producers. The effect of this deal has been to create doubt in the minds of consumers as to whether the prices of finished material can be maintained after this severe cut in the less finished product. Two weeks ago there was reason to believe that the needs of consumers were becoming pressing enough to force them into the market. The incident noted encourages consumers to hold off a little longer in the hope of obtaining concessions.

An offset to everything else was the government crop report. The yield of cotton and corn will be the largest in the history of the country. The increase in the production of cotton alone is estimated to be worth from $50,000,000 to $75,000,000 more than an average crop at average prices. The promise of increased prosperity has already had a stimulating effect upon the south, and the securities of railroads traversing that section have this week advanced to the highest prices of the year. The bumper corn crop will come in opportunely to supply the deficiency in the yield of wheat. The price of the latter crossed the dollar line, and speculation in the grain was on an enormous scale, based upon reports of damage to the spring wheat crop which has occurred since the compilation of the government's figures. An additional element of strength in the market was the report of short crops abroad, and the action of the Austro-Hungarian government in prohibiting exports of foodstuffs from that country. The unusual combination of a short wheat crop at home and abroad promises to raise the money value of our agricultural products above the average. The situation also promises a quicker marketing of surplus products, which will stimulate the circulation of money in the agricultural districts.

Domestic money markets continue in a state of abnormal ease. Surplus reserves of the New York banks are larger than since 1894, and the supply of gold, both in the treasury and in the banks, has reached the maximum in the history of the country. Exports of gold, which were resumed during the week, attracted less notice than any similar movement in more than a score of years. There is every indication of a continuation of present easy money market conditions.

The Japanese naval officials also seem to have forgotten that there is such a thing as international law. They are likely to be reminded of it, however.

Will Candidate Davis' reply to the notification committee take the form of a large check? That is the question now exciting Chairman Taggart.

The hoodoo is still working overtime in its attempts to defeat the Pittsburgh baseball team. Only three regulars are now on duty.

Paraguayan insurgents are reported to have captured three ports. Just as we had forgotten there was a revolution in Paraguay, too.

Another evidence of returning prosperity is found in the announcement that the mills of the Carbon Steel Company are on double turn.

Former Secretary Root seems unable to dodge the political lightning. He may be made governor of New York against his will.

With our fleet at Smyrna, the sultan is likely to do some rapid-fire thinking.

Admiral Evans should go into training. Prince Henry is coming.

But That Is Impossible.

If Mr. Bryan continues to be silent, his services to the party will certainly deserve reward in case of Democratic success.—Washington Star.

Talked of in Gotham

By ALEXANDER DODDS.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—At the age when most girls are beginning to realize that the world contains such delightful mysteries as beaux and long dresses, Ethel Watkins, the 14-year-old bride of Louis E. Watkins, thinks this part of life's problem solved and happily plays with a big doll. She and her husband are living at No. 430 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, where with all the happy girlhood cut out she will attempt to step from childhood into wifehood.

Until six weeks ago the child lived with her parents in the Quaker city. It was there her husband rocked her to sleep when she was a babe in swaddling clothes. When she was 10, filled with the story of Christine and Andree, she climbed upon his knee one day and said she would be his Christine if he would play Andree. That settled it for Watkins. Mrs. Watkins, seated on the floor beside an 11-months-old baby cousin of her husband, played with a doll and blocks today as she talked of her romance which was as high as the flat in which she lived among the Harlem clouds.

Mothers' Day at the Vacation School.

The busy days of the children in the East Houston street vacation school are drawing to a close. They have been busy, not with lessons out of books, but with those taught the fingers and the feet, as well as brains, and with a lot of fun thrown in. This was mothers' day and fond parents saw the product of their hopefuls arranged in tasteful array in the 100 rooms of this big institution. Houston street has the biggest vacation school in all the world, the biggest building and the greatest number of pupils. All this summer an average of 1,100 children daily have attended this school and 1,200 were refused admission on account of lack of room.

Glad Tidings in the Star of Hope.

This week's issue of the Star of Hope, this most unique specimen of journalism extent, it being published by the prisoners in Sing Sing, will contain the glad tidings that the hated stripes will vanish from the clothes of convicts serving their first term. On October 1 this class of prisoners will don suits of dark gray. The ruling applies not alone to Sing Sing, but to every penal institution in the state.

The "B. C." men, or those having previous records, of whom there are about 1,500 in the state, and the incorrigibles, made up of every grade and numbering all told about 12, will continue to wear the striped suits. The abolition of the striped suits follows the doing away with the lock-step and the cropped head. The new suits are now being made in the prisons. They are cut in a smart military way, with a high standing collar, showing a linen shirt band underneath.

She Sought Death Upon a Casket.

Despondent because her parents had scolded her, Nellie Jellinger, a 16-year-old Brooklyn girl, attempted suicide in the most novel method yet recorded in the police annals. Carbolic acid was used in the attempt to end her woeful existence, but to make less trouble for her family the child went to an undertaker's establishment and sat upon a casket where she swallowed the poison. P. J. Duffy, the manager, caught the girl as she fell writhing in agony, and forced half a bottle of mucilage with which he was pasting the trimmings of another coffin, down her throat. The mucilage saved her life.

Are Going on Coast Trip.

A well-known Pittsburgh family is registered at the Holland today preparatory to sailing tomorrow morning for Nova Scotia, the home of A. Leo Weil, the attorney. The party is made up of Mr. and Mrs. A. Leo Weil, Miss Annie, Fred L. and A. Leo Weil, Jr.

Big Leak in the New Tunnel.

It was learned today the contractors who are tunneling under the East river from South Ferry street to connect with Atlantic avenue, in Brooklyn, have been fighting a bad leak in the tunnel for the last three days. There is now about four feet of water in the tunnel, the depth having been reduced from eight feet by two great force pumps. Engineers said today the tunnel would have been cleared had not one of the pumps broke. The leak occurred last Wednesday at the bottom of the 70 foot shaft on the New York side. Since then work on the tunnel has been at a standstill, but it is hoped in the next 24 hours the tunnel will be pumped out.

Cleveland Will Open Parker Campaign.

Grover Cleveland will open the campaign for Parker and Davis in Brooklyn on August 25. Senator Patrick McCarren is getting up the meeting, and proposed that the first gun of the campaign should be a big one. It was impossible to get a direct statement about Cleveland's reappearance in a political plot from him today, but various people close to the Brooklyn chief admitted an address by Cleveland was on the program.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
G. Mesta.
J. Bindley.
L. G. Woods.

Imperial.
A. Davis.
Mrs. R. Davis.
Miss F. Davis.
Mrs. M. Rosenthal.
Miss M. Smith.
C. F. Gardner.
J. W. Matthews.
F. J. Forsythe.
C. Levy.
C. A. Ralph.
J. T. Magill.
R. McCoy.
Mrs. R. McCoy.

Holland.
R. A. Carter.
J. McK. Speer.
A. L. Weil.
Mrs. Weil.
Miss A. L. Weil.

Sinclair.
S. W. Litter.
Mrs. Litter.
C. Lindsay.
G. Lindsay.
Miss C. Lindsay.
Miss Kerr.

St. Denis.
C. A. Schuldice.
E. G. Morrow.
L. W. Reed.

Victoria.
C. Walker.
Mrs. Walker.
G. B. Mackey.
Miss F. A. Mackey.
Mrs. A. H. Krame.
Mrs. E. K. Mackey.

Marlborough.
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G. Graf.

Grand.
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Mrs. Greer.

Lincoln.
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Mrs. McFadyen.

Continental.
H. O. Wirth.
H. I. Sproull.

Cosmopolitan.
J. S. Harper.

Vendome.
W. H. Henderson.

Broadway Central.
C. Zeiger.

Herald Square.
S. W. Hills.

Manhattan.
A. P. Buchfeld.

Pittsburghers at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 12.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburgh people are registered at the leading St. Louis hotels:

Washington.
Thomas C. Folger.

Planters.
S. M. Beckley,
George A. Magoon.

Southern.
H. S. Evans,
O. P. Benjamin,
C. J. Thorpe.

Grandview.
W. C. Brooks.

FABLES FROM THE NEWS.

The Ruler of the Muscovites was seen running from the Palace to Meet his Prime Minister who was Just Getting out of his Carriage. His Headpiece was on one Side, but there was a Broad Smile upon his Face.

"I've bad News to Report; the fleet has been Scattered to the Four Quarters of the Globe," said the P. M. sadly.

"Who cares!" exclaimed the Ruler. "It's a Boy."

Which Proves that no man is too high up in the World to become a Proud Father.

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The Chief Magistrate of the City Heard a Great Rumbling of Discontent because his Police Force was said to be Not on the Square. He promptly sent for the Head of the Department.

"Order a Large Supply of Whitewash at Once," said the Chief Magistrate. "We will have to Investigate this Affair, or it will endanger the Administration."

The Scapegoat immediately Took to the Woods.

The Quiet Observer

By ERASMUS WILSON.

Do you believe in dreams?

The wisest and best of people in the old times did, and we find accounts in the Bible of wonderful dreams, and of their fulfillment.

But it isn't considered good form in these present times to profess to believe in dreams and visions, and yet nearly every one of us feels more or less pleased or troubled at times on account of them.

Have you a dream book?

There are many books that give interpretations of dreams, but no two of them agree, so that none of them can be relied on, at least not to the extent of risking money.

Possibly a dream may mean one thing to you and something else to your neighbor. Or the temperament, color of hair, nationality or education may have something to do with it.

If our scientists could only get onto the dream microbe, or define the stuff dreams are made of, we might make some practical use of them.

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We are all disposed to regard George Washington as a good, wise and great man, and one not likely to be troubled by dreams or visions, but after all, he was human, quite so.

Anthony Sherman, born during the revolutionary war, well known on the Pacific slope, and noted for truth and veracity, gave to one of the leading papers the following story:

The darkest period of the revolution was the year 1777, when Washington, after experiencing many reverses, went into winter quarters at Valley Forge. Often I observed tears course down the cheeks of the beloved commander when he was considering the sufferings of his brave soldiers. Washington was in the habit of praying in secret and calling upon God for assistance, and it was only by the help of God we passed those days of adversity.

One day Washington spent the whole afternoon in his room alone. When he came out I observed he was much paler than usual, when he related to me the following:

"Whilst I was sitting at my table this afternoon engaged in writing, and my mind was heavy with sorrow, I suddenly observed directly opposite to me a most beautiful female. I was so much surprised, for I had given strict orders not to be disturbed, that I could not find words at the moment to inquire the object of this unexpected visit. Two, three and even four times I repeated the question without receiving an answer, the only effect being that she raised her eyes a little.

"I now experienced a most curious sensation spread over my whole body. I wished to rise from my seat, but the steady gaze of my mysterious visitor kept me spellbound. I again tried to speak to her, but my tongue was tied. An unknown, mysterious, irresistible power had taken me prisoner. I could do nothing else but gaze at the apparition. Gradually the room filled with light and the form grew more clear and bright. My feelings were those of a dying man; I could neither think nor act. My steady gaze at the figure was all I was aware of.

"I now heard a voice which said: 'Son of the republic, behold and learn.' At the same time the figure stretched out its arm and pointed with the finger toward the east. Light clouds arose in the distance, which dispersed and revealed to my eyes a most astonishing picture. Before me all the countries of the earth were spread out—Europe, Asia, Africa and America. Between Europe and America I saw the waves of the Atlantic ocean toss backward and forward, and between America and Asia the waves of the Pacific ocean. Again I heard the voice, 'Son of the republic, behold and learn.'

"Immediately a dark form like that of an angel appeared over the ocean between Europe and America. It then dipped water from the ocean with both hands, and with its right hand sprinkled it over America, and with its left hand over Europe. Immediately dark clouds arose from both these countries which met in the middle of the ocean; here they remained stationary for a short while, then moved westward and wrapped America in darkness. Lightning flashed through the dark clouds, and I heard the groaning and shrieking of the American people.

"Again the angel dipped water from the ocean and sprinkled it as before. The black clouds withdrew and sunk into the sea. For the third time I heard the voice, 'Son of the republic, behold and learn.'

"I looked toward America and saw populous villages and cities spread out from the Atlantic coast to the Pacific ocean. Again I heard the mysterious voice, 'Son of the republic, behold and learn.'

"The dark form of the angel then turned toward the south, and, coming from Africa, I observed a horrible phantom make its way to our country. It floated slow and heavily over our towns and the country, the inhabitants rose to make war on each other and formed in battle array. As I looked at this scene I observed an angel surrounded with light; on his head he wore a beautiful crown on which was inscribed the word 'Union;' in his hand he held the American star spangled banner; this he planted between the contending armies, crying out, 'Remember, you are brothers.'

"Immediately the nations threw away their arms, became friends again and gathered around the star spangled banner. Again I heard the mysterious voice, 'Son of the republic, the second danger is passed, behold and learn.'

"And I saw villages and cities steadily increase in size and number until the whole country was covered with them, the whole extent, from the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean, and the nation had multiplied in as countless numbers as the stars in heaven or the sands on the seashore. Again I heard the voice, 'Son of the republic, the end of a century is at hand; behold and learn.'

"The dark angel then put a trumpet to his mouth, blew in it three times, then dipped out some water from the sea and sprinkled it over Europe, Asia and America.

"My eyes now beheld a most terrible scene. From each of these countries dark, heavy clouds arose and united in one mass. Through this mass dark red lightning played. I saw troops of armed men marching, and then sail across the sea to America, which was immediately covered by the black cloud. And I saw how these immense armies desolated the land, and laid towns and villages in ashes. I heard the roar of cannon, the clashing of swords, the cry of the victorious and vanquished millions engaged in deadly strife—when again I heard the mysterious voice proclaim, 'Son of the republic, behold and learn.'

"The dark angel then again took up the trumpet and gave one long and terrible blow. Suddenly a light broke forth and drove away the dark cloud hovering over America. At the same time I saw the angel with the beautiful crown on which was inscribed the word 'Union,' descend from heaven, holding in one hand the star spangled banner and in the other a sword, and accompanied by legions of heavenly spirits. These united with the American people, when the latter were almost overpowered, who then took fresh courage and formed in the battle array. Again, amid the horrible noise of war, I heard the mysterious voice, 'Son of the republic, behold and learn.'

"After this voice the dark angel dipped out water for the last time from the sea and sprinkled it over America, and immediately the dark cloud retreated with its armies which it had brought along, leaving the victory to the Americans. I then again saw two towns and villages rise in the same places where they had stood before, while the heavenly angel planted the star spangled banner among the people and cried out with a loud voice: 'As long as the stars are in heaven, and as long as the dew descends from heaven to earth, so long shall this republic exist.' At the same time he took the beautiful crown from his head, on which was inscribed the word 'Union,' placed it on the star spangled banner, and the people, kneeling down, cried out, 'Amen.'

"The apparition then gradually began to dissolve, and at last the mysterious female was all that remained before me in my room, and again I heard the voice, 'Son of the republic, what you have seen is explained as follows: Three dangers will overcome this republic; the second is the most to be dreaded. When this one is passed, the whole world cannot conquer her. Let every child of the republic learn to serve his God, his country and the Union.' With these words the form vanished.

"I arose from my chair with the firm conviction that the birth, progress and fate of the republic of the United States of America had been revealed to me."

"These words," says Mr. Sherman, "I heard myself from Gen. Washington's own lips."

When Short of Change

THE STROLLER.

In a downtown restaurant, in the wee small hours the other morning, several newspapermen sat about a table exchanging tales of hard luck.

"I got stranded in Colorado Springs two weeks ago," remarked one, "and as I was not officially representing the paper at the time I could not draw on the office for funds. I had been running a bill at a good hotel for four days with all the abandon of one who had nothing but money, and on the night I began talking to myself I found, on making an inventory, that there remained but $1.70. The odd cents I spent on a telegram to a friend in Pittsburgh and had the satisfaction of receiving $25 from the telegraph company in the morning.

"But railroad schedules put me in the hole again. In St. Louis I found that the road on which my transportation was good did not run a train to Pittsburgh until the following forenoon and I started out to kill time on the pike. That was my finish. After paying for a sleeper I had but 51 cents. For 19 hours I starved on that train because I have never had the courage to ignor the porter on a Pullman. He got the 50 and I arrived home with one cent."

"That's nothing," remarked one of the company. "I have a yarn that is simply several chapters of real tough luck. At the time of the Chicago fire I was working for a hardware establishment where the two members of the firm did everything from keeping the books to filling orders and delivering them. One day the senior called me in and said if I wanted a vacation I must start on my leave of absence at once, as he and his partner had planned a fishing trip to commence on the first of the following month. During their absence I was to be the firm, the clerk and the errand boy. It happened that one of the local papers was running an excursion that day to Chicago. The round trip ticket cost $19 and included besides transportation, 10 days' lodging in Chicago. This meant 10 nights on a cot in a room with three others, possibly persons you never heard of before. When the boss spoke to me it was 11 o'clock. The train left at 1:30. I decided to go at once and the office gave me $20, a week's salary.

"My younger brother, who has the habit of saving money, was out of the city and I was at loss to think of another source upon which to draw. However, after scouting about for an hour I managed to dig up another $8 and with this I started. I had $9 left after buying my ticket. In those days I couldn't get passes as I do now, and each time I went into the fair grounds it cost me 50 cents. For 9 days I paid to get into the grounds and on the balance I lived. At one place I discovered a spot where three big rolls could be bought for a nickel and with each purchase you could get free as much tea as you could drink. The way I patronized that place was touching, but judging from the time I had to wait for a seat each time there must have been others in Chicago trying to live on excitement. Then in my wanderings I discovered a stand, I think in the industries building, where a progressive flour concern was giving away samples of their stock in the form of waffles. Inside of this small circular structure four darkeys made waffles on hot griddles. Starting with one darkey I would make the circuit of the stand taking a waffle from each. Then I'd walk around the building for awhile and return to make another lap. In this way I succeeded in getting several meals—or at least killed the pangs of hunger. Since then I get seasick when I see a waffle.

"In the domestic science department of the Indian school I struck up an acquaintance with a young Indian woman and on my first visit was invited to risk eating a corn cake, some of her cooking. Very gallantly I took the dose and complimented her on the excellence of her art. During my remaining days at the fair I somehow managed to drop in, casually, to say how-do-you-do to the girl and each time consented to eating one or two of the corn cakes, jokingly remarking once, when I was so weak from hunger that I couldn't walk further: 'Sure I'll eat one. My accident policy is paid up.' I don't think she realized just how funny that remark really was.

"Well, for nine days I tramped about, walking continuously, for it cost money to use street cars. Fortunately for me there were hundreds of Italians who peddled fruit in small carts and who sold all manner of good stuff at reasonable prices. These men actually kept me alive for I lived principally on fruit.

"One night I got tired of it all. For days I had not had a real meal. Perhaps it was because I saw disaster ahead that I decided to start for home; but at all events I went to bed on the night of the ninth day determined to start east the next day. When I got up I looked over my assets and found 17 cents, and decided that I was not hungry enough for breakfast. My ticket was good for 60 days when I started, and it occurred to me that I might make an advantageous deal with a scalper. All morning I visited scalpers' shops, coming out of each with the conviction more firmly settled that these men are the meanest creatures in the world. Finally, just before noon, I concluded a transaction. A scalper offered me a ticket to Pittsburgh, that expired the next day, and $1 in cash for my return ticket.

"The deal was closed instantly and I soon found a cheap eating house. That time I dined on steak, vegetables and a big piece of huckleberry pie, and started for the depot with 30 cents in my pocket. When I got on the train all the seats in the coaches were full. We left Chicago at 3 o'clock in the afternoon and got into Pittsburgh the following morning at 9 o'clock. I stood up in the aisle all the way. Once I went out on the platform to escape the stifling heat of the coach and the wind caught my hat and carried it out on the plains of Illinois. I ate peanuts and popcorn during the night and when I arrived in Pittsburgh had to walk home bareheaded.

"Food looked so good to me then that during the remaining days of my vacation I never got out of sight of the dining room. This must have been noticed by the woman who ran my boarding house for I heard her remark once that 'Mr. A.'s trip must have done him good, because he eats so much.'"

Mr. Carnegie Wins a Medal.

Mr. Carnegie has the courage of his convictions, as shown in his war on tipping. It is on a stable foundation in Great Britain; but Mr. Carnegie is opposed to it, and has posted anti-tipping placards in Skibo Castle. It is a worthy though we fear hopeless undertaking on Mr. Carnegie's part, as it is an evil that is firmly anchored in the United Kingdom, and is making rapid progress in the United States.—Philadelphia Press.

The Humorous Gentleman From Indiana.

Booth Tarkington admits that there is one contingency in which he might vote the Democratic ticket—"if Bryan were the candidate of the Republican party on a silver plank." That Indiana novelist, like his state, seems reasonably certain to go Republican next November.—New York Tribune.

IT IS TO SMILE.

"No," said the man who had recently made his fourth pilgrimage to the matrimonial altar, "I can't say that marriage is a failure."

"Of course not," rejoined his bachelor friend. "With you it is merely a habit."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

"What do you think of the situation with reference to meat?"

"I'm not worried," answered the epicure. "If they make ordinary food as expensive as terrapin, mushrooms and truffles there will be no further excuse for my denying myself."—Washington Star.

"Why don't you get married? Two can live as cheaply as one."

"Perhaps, but two can't live as extravagantly as one."—Philadelphia Press.

Jaspar—I often wonder why Jenkins is not more popular, for he is the most polite man I know.

Jumpuppe—That is just the trouble. He is so confoundedly polite he leaves the impression that he wants to borrow money.—Town Topics.

Russian soldier No. 1—Every day that I see the Japanese approaching I think of the last day of a race meeting.

Russian soldier No. 2—Why?

No. 1—Because it's always "get-away day."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Death Roll

George A. Chalfant's Body Arrives.

The body of George A. Chalfant arrived at the Chalfant residence in Etna yesterday afternoon, where it will lie in state until the funeral services on Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock. The Chalfant home last night was visited by many of Mr. Chalfant's friends who viewed the body which had been placed in the front parlor of the residence, surrounded by flowers and floral emblems. Mr. Chalfant's body arrived in Pittsburgh early yesterday morning in charge of Mrs. Chalfant, Charles Chalfant, Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Calvert and Miss Margaret Chalfant. It was taken to the Samson undertaking rooms and did not reach Etna until late in the afternoon. Among those who visited the Chalfant residence last night were the Etna lodge of Elks and members of the board of directors of the Farmers and Mechanics bank of Sharpsburg. The funeral services, which will be held at 10:30 o'clock Monday morning, will be as simple as possible, the Rev. T. M. Thompson of the First Presbyterian church of Sharpsburg, which church Mr. Chalfant attended, will have charge of the services. The interment will be private and will take place probaly at the Allegheny cemetery, although the place of burial has not yet been announced. The honorary pallbearers will be, Judge F. H. Collier, John L. Robertson, the Hon. Thomas J. Ford, John Routh, James R. Darragh, Col. E. E. Ziegler, George L. McFarlane and Senator John W. Crawford.

Dr. George D. Kughler.

Dr. George D. Kughler, for many years a leading physician in Mercer county, Pa., died yesterday at Fayetteville, N. C., where he had lived for the past two years. He was a son of the Rev. Michael Kughler and was born in Mercer county in 1827. He studied medicine in Erie and in 1848 commenced practice in Clarence, N. Y. After practicing in Buffalo from 1855 to 1861, Dr. Kughler moved to Greensville, Pa., where he practiced for more than 40 years. He was a member of the National Eclectic Medical society and was at one time president of both the state and Northwestern Eclectic Medical societies. He was twice married, his first wife, Elizabeth Foust of Norristown, dying several years ago. One son, W. W. Kughler of New York, survives, as does his second wife. He was a member of the Lutheran church and was prominent in Masonic circles. The body will be taken to Greenville, where the funeral services will be in charge of Mt. Calvary commandery, Knights Templar.

Samuel G. Mellon.

Samuel G. Mellon died Thursday evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. L. C. Pearce, No. 4008 North Westminster street, Allegheny, aged 69. Death resulted from paralysis after a brief illness. He was born in Springdale, Pa., where he had lived all his life, and where his father, Joseph Mellon, was a pioneer resident. Samuel G. Mellon was at one time connected with the old Pennsylvania canal, and was a member of the Canal Boatmen's association of Pittsburgh. Mr. Mellon conducted the farm of his father nearly all his life. His wife, Matilda Mellon, died about two years ago. Five children survive, H. K. Mellon, Buffalo; M. I. Mellon, Ponca, Neb.; Mrs. B. A. Blue, Forest, O.; Mrs. L. C. Pearce, Allegheny, and Mrs. J. H. Strasser, East End.

Miss Elizabeth McBride.

Miss Elizabeth McBride, aged 53, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McBride, died of bronchial trouble yesterday afternoon at the family residence, No. 78 Ingram avenue, Ingram. Miss McBride was widely known in social circles in the Chartiers valley. She was a member of the First United Presbyterian church of Ingram and active in the church missionary society and the Sunday school. She is survived by her father and mother and one sister, Miss Marguerite. Funeral services will be held at her late residence Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The interment will be private in the South Side cemetery Monday morning.

Seymour D. Thompson.

Seymour D. Thompson, former associate justice of the court of appeals at St. Louis, died of diabetes at his home, at East Orange, N. J., yesterday. Judge Thompson was a well-known jurist and had written many works on legal practice. He was recently appointed by President Roosevelt as a delegate to the union congress of law and jurists, to be held in St. Louis next month. He was born in Illinois in 1842, and was a veteran of the civil war.

Samuel C. Shea.

Samuel C. Shea, aged 53, died late Thursday night at his home in Oak Hill, East Pittsburgh, after a short illness due to heart trouble. The deceased was a painter and had lived in East Pittsburgh for many years. He is survived by a widow and the following children: Thomas, Henry, Bartholomew, Samuel and Margaret. He was a member of St. Coleman's Catholic congregation of Turtle Creek.

Funeral of Phillip Glasser.

The funeral of Phillip Glasser, who died Tuesday

GRAFT CHARGES PROMPTLY DENIED

Five Women Swear to Falsity of Policeman Dachroth's Assertions, Before Police Board.

ANOTHER MEETING TONIGHT

Denials were made last night by five women before the Allegheny police board of the assertion of Policeman Amos Dachroth that they had paid Capt. James Wilson for protection. The meeting was held in the office of Director Scandrett behind closed doors, only the women and the members of the board being admitted.

The women in question were Margaret LeRoy, 104 East Robinson street; Minnie Hastings, 20 East Lacock street; Lottie Williams, 227 East Lacock street; Pearl Thompson, 604 River avenue, and Nannie Meyers, 226 East Robinson street. Each swore to a denial that money had been paid to Capt. Wilson.

Detective William M. Speer, chairman of the board, presided. Director Scandrett was present. Capt. Wilson, who is a member of the board, did not attend, nor did Dachroth, the man who started the trouble. He was informed yesterday that a meeting of the police board was to be held and was invited to attend and bring witnesses. The invitation was ignored as Dachroth says the matter rests entirely with the district attorney.

In a letter to Mayor Wyman on July 18 last Dachroth named the five women who were questioned last night as victims of Capt. Wilson's alleged graft system. All denied emphatically that they had ever had any financial dealings with Wilson, and Pearl Thompson declared she had never seen Wilson in her life.

Another meeting of the board will be held tonight, at which several other women will be catechised in a similar manner. One woman named by Dachroth has gone to New York, but Director Scandrett declared last night that he would have her sworn statement procured there and forwarded to Allegheny to be submitted to the police board.

It came out at the meeting that Lieut. John Bopp and Roundsman Joe Dean, who were charged by Dachroth with neglecting their beats, were really watching Dachroth under Scandrett's orders at the times he accuses them of getting away from their prescribed territory. It was intimated that Dachroth had been lax in his duties and had seen Bopp and Dean when he was in places where his duties did not require his presence.

ONE KILLED, THREE HURT IN STOLEN AUTOMOBILE

The Man Accused of the Theft Met His Death in the Overturned Machine.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—One man was killed and three injured when an automobile they had taken overturned in Vailsburg today. The dead man is Charles H. Reilly, 20 years old, of No. 14 North Clinton street. The three injured men, after their wounds were dressed, were placed under arrest and held pending an investigation by the county authorities.

Reilly's skull was fractured by the steering wheel. Reilly was employed at night by Frederick L. Knapp at East Orange. He is charged with having stolen the automobile which he rode to his death.

According to the injured men all were under the influence of liquor when the fatality occurred.

ALEXANDER DODDS.

PITTSBURGH MEN CHOSEN.

Members of Fourteenth and Eighteenth Regiments to Represent Pennsylvania in Interstate Matches.

MT. GRETNA, PA., Aug. 12.—The national guard rifle practice was concluded today with a brigade match for the Trexler trophy at 1,000 yards. The teams finished as follows: First brigade, 133; Third brigade, 120; cavalry, 116; Second brigade, 109.

Col. Patterson today selected the following team to represent this state in the interstate matches at Fort Riley, beginning August 22: William Shay, Fourteenth regiment; Capt. H. B. Jeffords, Third; James Burns, Thirteenth; Sergt. H. Porterfield, Sixth; Robert Gamble, First; Maj. George E. Kemp, Third; A. L. Dunn, Jr., First; J. W. Hessian, Eighteenth; E. E. Slopy, Twelfth; Sergt. Charles Moore, Thirteenth; A. E. Perkins, Second; Capt. William Faulke, Second; Capt. George R. Shields, Thirteenth; Theodore F. Shonnert, First; Sergt. James G. Burton, Sixth.

BIGELOW MAKES PROMISE.

Agrees to Give Residents of Morningside District Better Streets.

The committee of citizens who were appointed at a meeting of the residents of the Morningside district to urge the repair of certain streets in that section, were assured yesterday that their complaints would be promptly attended to and remedied.

Director Bigelow had not only promised to give them relief, but directed Superintendent Niecwanger of the bureau of highways to meet the committee. He met them yesterday and spent the afternoon going over the streets complained of and told the committee the matter would be taken up at once and the streets repaired.

RUSSIANS AWAIT GREAT BATTLE AT AN SHAN SHAN

LIAO YANG, Aug. 12.—A Russian correspondent of the Associated Press, who has arrived here, says: "We are daily expecting a big battle in the direction of An Shan Shan. It has probably been delayed by the rains. The Japanese were checked at Benitzu, 20 miles east of Liao Yang, while advancing on the Yantai coal mines."

Licensed to Wed at Cumberland.

CUMBERLAND, MD., Aug. 12.—Marriage licenses were issued here today to Dorsey R. Wadsworth and May Chriswell, both of Fayette county, Pa., and Ira J. Claybaugh of Brownsville, Pa., and Pearl Brown of Uniontown, Pa.

Town's Annual Reunion.

ALTOONA, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—The third annual reunion of the citizens and former residents of Williamsburg, this county, was attended by fully 1,000 people at Lakemont park today.

Hungarian Statesmen Coming.

FIUME, HUNGARY, Aug. 12.—Sixty-one Hungarian deputies sailed for New York today to attend the international parliament congress at St. Louis.

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Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.
Account G. A. R. Encampment.

Tickets on sale August 12, 13, 14 and 15, good until August 20, with extension of limit until September 30, upon payment of 50 cents additional. Stop-overs, returning, at New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

CUTS LOOSE FROM UNION

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under the jurisdiction of the American Flint Glass Workers' union.

During this same period these machines were worked by a factory in Montreal, Can., which factory was controlled by the same union, at a much less cost to the manufacturers. The demands made now by the union upon the Macbeth-Evans Glass Company, if conceded, would cost them 112½ per cent more to produce than the same goods cost at that time in Montreal when manufactured by the same machine, under the same union's jurisdiction.

Machine Product Made Costly.

When the Macbeth-Evans Glass Company purchased this machine they naturally supposed the machine would have the advantage it was entitled to, but contrary to their expectations the turns have been restricted and wages increased, until the cost of the machine-made product has exceeded that of the previous or hand-made methods, thus rendering their investment unprofitable.

The injustice and discrimination against the Macbeth-Evans Glass Company is apparent when the fact is stated that at that time 1,630 pieces of a certain article constituted a turn in Canada, while now on the same machine, very much improved, the Macbeth-Evans Glass Company is restricted to 1,150 pieces, a difference of 990 in the number of pieces. This difference in number per turn, together with the difference in wages, cost the Macbeth-Evans Glass Company 112½ per cent more to produce the same goods.

The Macbeth-Evans Glass Company did everything in its power to avoid trouble. It even offered to limit the number of machines it would use, if the workers' committee would only make a machine scale that would enable it to operate it at a profit.

The Macbeth-Evans Glass Company was desirous of securing foreign business, and had in the last five years sent representatives abroad to ascertain the requirements of foreign markets. Many samples of foreign goods were brought home and submitted to the union, with a request that special turns at least be placed upon these foreign goods, so that the company could secure additional business. The union, however, failed to do anything in this respect, and restricted numbers to a turn of these foreign goods to even less than similar American shapes. The company was therefore forced to abandon all efforts to secure foreign trade.

Lost $200,000 of Business.

Foreign manufacturers during the past five years have gained quite a foothold in this country, and this has increased from year to year until at the present time the amount of goods imported into this country is of a very large volume. In such goods as are used in connection with the Welsbach lamps, this is particularly so. About a year ago the Macbeth-Evans Glass Company sent a man abroad to ascertain how a certain article was finished. This information was secured, and the company prepared, after considerable expense, to turn out these particular goods in large quantities. The union, however, placed a turn so low on these special articles that the goods could not be finished at a price to meet the foreign makers, and thus the business has all gone abroad. During the last year the Macbeth-Evans Glass Company states they could have done in these particular articles a business of nearly $200,000. The greater portion of this sum would have been paid in wages to American workmen, but instead of that it was paid to workmen in Germany, Austria and other foreign countries.

Finally the Macbeth-Evans Glass Company has been forced to sever its connections with the American Flint Glass Workers' union to save its business and those depending upon it. This step has been made necessary, on account of the unjust demands of the union, and also by the action of the competing manufacturers, who had no machines to operate, and who have used undue influence with the union workers, in order to encourage them to discriminate against the operation of labor-saving machinery.

A peculiar feature of the situation is that at the recent convention of the union at Marietta, O., a by-law was adopted which forbids the payment of strike benefits to the union members at any time before October 1. Inasmuch as the plant will open Monday, it is seen that there would be six weeks without remuneration for those who did not return to work. What the union will do in the matter could not be told last evening. It is expected to take up the case at once.

JAPANESE SHELLS WORK HAVOC IN PORT ARTHUR

CHEFOO, Aug. 12.—A junk which has arrived here, having left Port Arthur on August 8, brings confirmation of previous reports of severe fighting day and night. A Japanese shell struck the corner of a building in Port Arthur and killed or wounded 200 people.

Suffering from Hydrophobia.

AKRON, O., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Growling and snapping like a dog, Halliwell Radcliffe, aged 67, is tied down with chains and straps at the city hospital, suffering from an attack of hydrophobia. Halliwell was bitten on the arm by a dog about three months ago. He gave the injury little thought at the time. Today his arm began swelling and he was taken to the hospital, where he became violent. Four policemen were sent to the hospital, and it required their combined efforts to tie Radcliffe to a cot.

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PENNSYLVANIANS TO BUILD LINE

Will Operate Extensive Traction System in and Around Monterey, Mexico.

ACQUIRE ROAD IN OPERATION

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Aug. 12.

Pennsylvanians are about to construct and operate an extensive electric traction system in and around Monterey, the Pittsburgh of Mexico. The initial lines will entail an expenditure not far short of $2,000,000.

Edward F. Walker of New York has just concluded negotiations in Monterey for the acquisition of the existing horse car lines and the Macklin and Dillon concession. He closed the deal on behalf of the Monterey Electric Railway, Light & Power Company, about two weeks ago. Capt. George D. Howell and C. D. Reeve of Philadelphia, have been in Monterey for some time past, making a study of the situation. The system is 14 miles in length.

The Ferrocarriles de Monterey y Topochico, commonly known as the Slayden line, of which ex-Congressman Slayden of New York is the president, has also been bought by the Monterey Electric Railway, Light & Power Company. The line is 15 miles long. Included in the purchase is a long lease of the parks, pavilion and baths at Topo-chico.

This franchise permits of the construction of some 15 miles of electric line in the city proper, and from there to one of the principal residential suburbs. The acquisition of the three properties has involved an expenditure of about $500,000 in gold.

The new interests will commence the work of electrical converting on the Empresa and Slayden lines, and the building of the Macklin and Dillon system, within the next 60 days. Before completion the new system will be fully 50 miles long. The Monterey Electric Railway, Light & Power Company will be the first strictly United States concern to operate a foreign electric traction system.

The opening up of the vast iron and steel plant at Monterey, which cost $10,000,000 to build and equip with the Pittsburgh machinery and the numerous other industries that have sprung up within the last year or so, have made the question of adequate transportation a very vital one.

John B. Brown Critically Ill.

NEW CASTLE, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—John B. Brown, ex-postmaster and ex-mayor of New Castle and for many years chairman of the Lawrence county Republican committee and also state assemblyman from Lawrence county for several terms, was taken to his home last night from the Shenango Valley hospital. Little hope is felt for his recovery.

DIED.

ADAMS—On Friday, August 12, 1904, at 8 p. m., JOSEPH ADAMS.
Funeral services Monday at 2 p. m. at his late residence, 147 Jucunda street, Knoxville.

ANDERSON—On Friday, August 12, 1904, at 11 a. m., JOHN W. ANDERSON, of Hookstown, Pa., aged 52 years.
Funeral will take place on Sunday, August 14, at 2 p. m., from his late residence. Friends of the family and John D. Cherry of Wolf, Lane & Co. and Porter Hill of Levino Hat Company are respectfully invited to attend.

BOYD—On Thursday at 4:15 p. m., ARTHUR HUNT, infant child of Annie H. and Arthur W. Boyd, at his parents' home, 288 McClure avenue, Allegheny.
Funeral Saturday at 2 p. m.
[Coshocton (Ohio) papers please copy.]

BORGERDING—On Thursday, August 11, 1904, at 11:40 a. m., at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Herman H. Adam, 58 Pitbridge street, Oakland, W. H. BORGERDING, aged 67 years 10 months and 3 days.
Funeral on Sunday, August 14, from the residence at 2:15 p. m. Service at the First German Trinity (Rev. William Broecker's) church, Sixth avenue, near Fifth avenue, at 3 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

BURG—On Friday, August, 12, 1904, MRS. ELIZA BURG, aged 61 years, at residence, Jacob street, Kittanning, Pa.
Funeral services Monday, August 15, at 3:30 p. m. Friends of the family invited to attend.

BUGHER—On Thursday, August 11, 1904, at 11:40 p. m., JOSEPHINE RHODA BUGHER, only daughter of C. S. and Nellie Bugher, aged 7 months and 6 days.
Funeral services at residence of parents, No. 733 Chislett street, East End, on Saturday, August 13, at 2 p. m. Interment private, later.

CHALFANT—On Thursday, August 11, 1904, at 3 o'clock p. m., at Harper hospital, Detroit, GEORGE J. CHALFANT.
Funeral services at his late residence, Butler street, Etna, on Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Interment private.

FLEISIG—On Friday, August 12, 1904, at 5 p. m., at the Passavant hospital, LEWIS FLEISIG, age 22 years.
Funeral services at the chapel of Harry A. Wray, 522 Sandusky street, Allegheny, on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Members of Park lodge 973, I. O. O. F., and sister lodges are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private later.

GRAHAM—Very suddenly, on Friday morning, August 12, 1904, at 7:15 o'clock, MRS. AGNES SCOTT GRAHAM, beloved wife of John M. Graham, at her residence, 7316 Idlewild street, Homewood, East End, city, aged 55 years 5 months 22 days.
Funeral services at her residence on Sabbath afternoon, August 14, 1904, at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

HENDERSON—On Tuesday, August 9, 1904, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Jamison, No. 422 Elizabeth street, Hazelwood, MARTIN HENDERSON, in his 70th year.
He is survived by his three daughters, Mrs. J. Huffman, of Braddock; Mrs. Tolliday, of Hazelwood, and Mrs. Jamison, with whom he made his home.
Interment in the Braddock cemetery on Friday at 2 p. m. G. A. R. post of Braddock will have charge.

KEARNS—Suddenly, on Thursday, August 11, 1904, at 1 a. m., ANNIE DICKSON KEARNS, daughter of the late James D. and Mary B. Kearns.
Funeral services at the residence of her brother-in-law, William L. Coyle, No. 149 Pitbridge street, Bellefield, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

MELLON—On Thursday, August 11, 1904, at 11:10 p. m., SAMUEL G. MELLON, at the 70th year of his age.
Funeral services will be held at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. L. C. Pearse, 4905 North Westminster street, Allegheny, this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment at Springdale, Pa., on Sunday, on the arrival of the train leaving Allegheny at 12:10 o'clock.

MBRIDE—On Friday, August 12, 1904, at 3:30 p. m., ELIZABETH MBRIDE, daughter of John and Jean McBride, age 33 years.
Funeral services at family residence, 78 Ingram avenue, Ingram, Pa., on Sabbath evening at 7 o'clock. Interment private Monday morning.

M'CREA—On Friday, August 12, 1904, at 3:30 a. m., ELIZABETH BEATTY, wife of William B. McCrea.
Funeral services at the family home, No. 539 Sheridan avenue, East End, on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Interment at Washington, Pa., Sunday morning.
[Washington (Pa.), Cincinnati (O.) and Chicago (Ill.) papers please copy.]

RIETHMILLER—Suddenly, at Uhrichsville, O., on Thursday, August 11, 1904, at 4 a. m., CAROLINE H. RIETHMILLER, youngest daughter of Johanna (Brednich) and the late Charles H. Riethmiller.
Funeral services at their home, 709 Copeland street, East End, on Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Interment private.

RUNETTE—On Thursday, August 11, 1904, EDGAR SCOTT RUNETTE, in his 29th year.
Funeral services at his residence, Tarentum, Pa., Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock, after which remains will be taken to the residence of his father, Charles Runette, 5525 Black street, East End, where services will be held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

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Cumberland Accom'dation*	8:30 am	* 9:25 pm
Connellsville & Mt. Pleas.†	6:30 am	†10:00 am
Wash., Balt. & New York*	8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Conny., Un'tn & Fairmont*	8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
West Newton Accom.....†	9:15 am	† 8:00 am
Cumb., Wash. & Balt.....*	1:00 pm	* 2:45 pm
Conny., Un'tn, Morgan'n.†	1:35 pm	†10:00 am
Connellsv. & Mt. Pleasant.†	1:35 pm	† 5:05 pm
Connellsville Accom'dat'n.*	4:00 pm	† 5:05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg & Weston.....†	5:00 pm	†12:50 pm
Philadelphia & New York (Duquesne Limited).....*	6:30 pm	* 9:00 am
West Newton Accom.....†	6:40 pm	† 1:30 pm
Wash., Balt. & Phila.....*	9:00 pm	† 7:10 am

LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.

Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.*	7:00 am	*10:35 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex.....*	8:30 am	* 7:45 am
St. Louis Limited.....*	1:30 pm	*11:00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.*	4:35 pm	* 5:40 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.*	5:35 pm	* 8:45 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex.....*	8:50 pm	* 7:55 pm

LINES WEST VIA AKRON.

Cleve., Akron & Ying'n..*	7:50 am	* 8:18 pm
Chicago & Cleveland.....†	4:30 pm	*12:15 pm
Chicago Limited.....*	8:05 pm	* 7:40 am

(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)

Butler.....†	7:00 am	† 8:00 pm
Butler, Foxburg.....†	7:30 am	† 7:25 pm
Butler, Foxburg.....†	8:15 am	† 5:10 pm
But'r, Conn. Lake & Erie.†	8:15 am	† 6:35 pm
Butler.....†	10:40 am	† 9:40 pm
But'r, Conn. & Lake Erie.†	1:15 pm	† 1:00 pm
Ellwood City.....†	1:15 pm	† 6:30 am
Butler, Clarion, Grenf'n.†	3:00 pm	†10:25 am
Butler, Ell'd, N. Castle.†	5:30 pm	* 9:40 am
Butler.....*	6:15 pm	* 5:10 pm
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CENTRAL TIME.	Depart.	Arrive.
Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer".*	7:00 am	* 9:45 pm
Cleveland "Flyer".....*	7:00 am	* 6:30 pm
Youngst'n & Cleve. Mail..†	8:30 am	† 5:10 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express..†	8:30 am	† 7:15 pm
Lake Chautauqua Fast Line.*	12:50 pm	* 6:30 am
St. Louis Express.....*	12:50 pm	* 8:50 am
Buffalo and Erie Express..‡	3:00 pm	* 8:45 pm
Cleveland and Chicago Ex.†	2:30 pm	*12:30 pm
Boston Special.....†	5:00 pm	† 6:35 am
Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer"..*	6:15 pm	*11:15 am
Chicago Limited.....*	6:15 pm	* 6:35 pm
Loupurex Limited.....*	9:00 pm	* 3:20 pm
Buffalo and Cleveland Ex..*	10:50 pm	* 6:35 pm
Youngstown Accom.....†	5:30 am	† 8:50 am
Beaver Falls Accom.....†	6:40 am	† 5:35 am
Beaver Falls Accom.....†	8:00 am	† 3:30 am
West Pittsburgh Accom..†	12:30 pm	† 4:15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.....†	3:30 pm	†12:15 am
New Castle Express.....†	4:20 pm	† 7:30 am
New Castle Express.....†	8:05 am	† 1:10 pm
Beaver Falls Express.....†	5:25 pm	† 6:30 am
Brownsville Accom.....†	6:10 am	† 6:45 am
Brownsville & N. Haven Ex.†	8:00 am	† 3:00 am
Monongahela Accom.....†	11:30 am	†12:30 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven..†	3:30 pm	† 4:50 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven..†	5:20 pm	† 6:45 pm

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St. Louis & Kans. City..	1:00 p. m.	4:15 p. m.
Chicago & St. Louis....	7:30 p. m.	6:50 a. m.

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Keystone Express, daily.....	3:00 a. m.	
Manhattan Limited, daily, for North		
Philadelphia and New York.....	3:35 a. m.	
The Pennsylvania Limited, daily..	7:15 a. m.	
New York Limited, daily.....	7:15 a. m.	
Atlantic Express, daily.....	7:30 a. m.	
Main Line Express, daily.....	8:00 a. m.	
Day Express, daily.....	12:01 p. m.	
Mail Express, daily.....	12:45 p. m.	
Chicago Mail, daily for Baltimore and Washington.....	4:50 p. m.	
Eastern Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York.....	4:55 p. m.	
New York Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York.....	7:10 p. m.	
Philadelphia Express, daily.....	9:00 p. m.	
New York Special, daily from New York only.....	10:00 p. m.	
Philadelphia Special, daily, Sleeping cars to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. No coaches.....	10:00 p. m.	
For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. daily.		
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For Titusville and Corry, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., and 11:00 p. m. week days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m., and 11:00 p. m. For Titusville only, 1:30 p. m. week days.		
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For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5:15, 8:25 a. m., 12:30 and 5:05 p. m. week days, 8:50 a. m. and 4:05 p. m. Sundays.		
For Somerset and Johnstown, 10:55 a. m. week days and 4:30 p. m. daily. For Brownsville only, 8:20 a. m., 3:25, 6:45 and 11:35 p. m. week days; 7:00, 9:35 a. m. and 1:05, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m. Sundays. For West Brownsville, 6:05 a. m. and 1:05 p. m. week days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Belle Vernon, 6:05, 8:20, 10:55 a. m., 1:05, 3:25, 4:30 (5:30 to Monongahela City), 6:45 and 11:35 p. m. week days. Sundays, 7:00, 9:35 a. m., 1:05, 4:30, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m.		
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Toledo and Detroit.....	* 3:15 am	* 2:50 pm
Indianapolis, Louisville, St. Louis.*	4:50 am	* 6:05 am
Columbus and Cincinnati.....	* 4:50 am	* 8:40 pm
Cleveland and Buffalo.....	† 5:00 am	† 1:35 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire.....	† 5:00 am	† 6:55 p

NO FEAR ABOUT THE CONGRESSMEN

Gen. Bingham Says Pennsylvania Will Elect at Least 29 Republicans.

MINERS ARE FOR ROOSEVELT

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 12.

Gen. H. H. Bingham, representative from the First congressional district, Philadelphia, and father of the house of representatives, is not alarmed at the prospects in the coming election. Nor is he worried over the report that the Democratic congressional campaign committee will make special efforts to capture several of the Republican districts in Pennsylvania, but, on the contrary, he believes that the Republicans have a good chance of winning in one or more of the three Democratic districts of the Keystone state. Gen. Bingham called at the White House today and had a talk with the president. After his interview he said:

"Our state has 32 members of the house and we will elect 29 of them without doubt and stand a good chance of getting the others. We will send a solid delegation to the house from Pennsylvania if possible. The legislature will be largely Republican and will elect Philander C. Knox to the United States senate. As to the national ticket, the majority for the president will be between 200,000 and 300,000."

John Nugent, D. C. Kennedy and Benjamin Davis, West Virginia miners who were passing through Washington, called on the president to pay their respects. They said that the 35,000 miners who vote in West Virginia will support the Republican ticket, and that the ticket will carry the state with ease.

President Roosevelt will leave Washington on Saturday for Oyster Bay for another short vacation. He hopes to be able to remain there until the 20th of September. It is not thought the president's vacation will be often broken in on by visitors at Oyster Bay. He will probably see only those persons who are invited by him and those who are sent to him by Chairman Cortelyou. He wishes to spend the time as quietly as possible. Political interviews of an indiscriminate nature will not be necessary, as the president will be back in the White House six weeks before the election and will give the Republican leaders all the time they need or desire to discuss questions arising during the fight.

Representative James Tawney of Minnesota, manager of the speakers' bureau at Republican headquarters in Chicago, discussed with President Roosevelt today some phases of the campaign work, particularly relating to the west. Mr. Tawney has just returned from New York, where he had conferences on campaign matters with National Chairman Cortelyou and Chairman Babcock of the Republican congressional committee. He says it will probably be a month before the speaking campaign opens in the west.

It is quite likely, Mr. Tawney says, that fewer speakers will be on the stump for the national committee in the west this year than were in the campaigns of either 1898 or 1900. In the campaign of 1900 about 1,500 speakers were directed from the western headquarters of the Republican party. That number will be reduced considerably this year, although an earnest and aggressive campaign will be conducted in every western state. Mr. Tawney says he has not seen a single Republican who is in the least apprehensive as to the general result. Everywhere he has gone he finds the rank and file confident of the outcome.

L. W. STRAYER.

LABOR LEADERS WANT FAIRBANKS

The Republican Vice Presidential Candidate Is Invited to Speak at Chicago.

DEMOCRATS IN A WRANGLE

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Republican National Committeeman Harry S. New of the national headquarters publicity bureau, announced today that Senator Fairbanks had been asked by representatives of organized labor in Chicago to come to this city and speak on Labor day, September 5. Capt. New said the invitation was under consideration, and would doubtless be accepted.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Chairman Cortelyou of the Republican national committee held a long conference today at the Fifth Avenue hotel with Attorney General Moody, after which Mr. Cortelyou disposed of a report that President Roosevelt might do some speaking in the campaign. He said that the president would not deliver a single speech, and that probably his only public utterance would be his letter of acceptance, which will not be made public until next month.

Gov. Franklin Murphy of New Jersey was also at headquarters today. Referring to the situation in his state, he said:

"The Democrats of Hudson county are trying to make an issue of higher railroad taxation in Jersey City. I don't think they will succeed. No new issues will prevent New Jersey from going Republican."

Protests from the west and south against the absolute domination of the eastern Democrats in the management of the campaign have called a halt in the plans of the national leaders, and it is rumored that more recognition may be granted the westerners than the appointment of an "advisory board," without permanent headquarters or funds.

David B. Hill arrived in town last night, and early this morning was in conference with Chairman Taggart over the matter. After the consultation Mr. Taggart admitted that no advisory board would be named until the executive committee had had another meeting.

Chairman Taggart said that it had not been decided yet whether Judge Parker would make a speaking tour. He denied the report that arrangements had been made for a speech by Parker in Indianapolis or any other city.

One thousand applications for positions at national headquarters had been received, he said, before the office furniture had been purchased.

Grover Cleveland will open the campaign for Parker and Davis in Brooklyn on August 28. It was said today that Mr. Cleveland would follow his Brooklyn speech with addresses at three or four other meetings throughout the country, and that he would probably be heard at a meeting that will be held in New York.

TAGGART WILL ATTEND THE DAVIS NOTIFICATION

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Chairman Taggart of the national Democratic committee will attend the notification ceremonies at White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., next week, when Henry G. Davis is officially informed of his nomination as vice president on the Democratic ticket.

Paraguayan Insurgents Capture Ports.

BUENOS AYRES, ARGENTINE, Aug. 12.—It is rumored that the Paraguayan insurgents have captured the ports of Humaita, Villa Pilar and Concepcion. They also are said to have taken the steamer Villa Rica, which had on board the minister of the interior. The minister escaped.

PARKER LOSING BRYAN VOTERS

They Resent Being Called "Free Silver Maniacs" by Democratic Newspapers.

NEW YORK BOSSES WARNED

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—A note of warning to the eastern Parkerites was sounded by Charles A. Walsh at the Hoffman house today. Walsh, who is an ardent Bryanite and hails from Iowa, was the secretary of the Democratic national committee during the last two campaigns. He is well qualified to speak with authority on the subject of the attitude of the Bryan men of the west toward Parker.

The main object of the present Democratic campaign managers, Mr. Walsh asserted today, seems to be to prove that the Democrats are better Republicans than the Republicans themselves. Their organs here in the east, he continued bitterly, devote most of their time to abuse of the Bryanites and naturally the supporters of the Democratic candidate of four and eight years ago resent it.

"Parker's interests are suffering," said Mr. Walsh, "because of the course of the eastern newspapers which, while boosting the Esopus candidate, refer editorially to the Bryan men as 'free silver maniacs, crazy men' and the like.

"Judge Parker cannot be elected without Bryan votes and to subject these voters to continual insult will alienate these men. It would be better for Parker if these newspapers would go over to Roosevelt than to sandwich editorial insults to western Democrats with Parker laudations.

"I regard also as a mistake the conceding of any state. This is a national fight and should be fought hard everywhere. This omitting to establish western headquarters is a mistake along this line. Western headquarters should be established even if they don't do a stroke of work in them.

"There has been some criticism of National Chairman Taggart because he gave the east practically all the executive committee appointments, but Taggart should not be blamed. He had to give the control of the committee to the men who ran the convention. Taggart's hands were tied."

WITNESSES INTOXICATED.

Washington County Grand Jury Makes Complaint Regarding Persons Summoned to Testify Against Brewers.

WASHINGTON, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—A sensation was caused this morning when the Washington county grand jury appeared before the court upon request and after asking instructions, set forth that during the rehearing of the liquor cases from Scenery Hill yesterday certain witnesses for the commonwealth appeared in the grand jury room in an intoxicated condition. The jury believed the liquor was secured about the courthouse and that it had been furnished by those against whom they had been subpenaed to appear. The witnesses will be subpenaed.

The cases before the jury are against brewery agents at Scenery Hill, charged with illegally supplying beer. Four witnesses summoned today failed to appear and bench warrants were issued. They were fined the costs in the case and severely reprimanded by the court.

Brilliant Meteoric Shower.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The naval conservatory reports its observance of a meteoric shower, brilliant and in many respects unusual, last evening. In eight minutes 15 meteors were counted, one of which lasted five seconds, which, according to the scientists, is an especially long time.

SHARON AND SOUTH SHARON STEEL CORPORATION POLICE FORCES

SHARON, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—The United States Steel Corporation has an efficient police force to guard its properties in Sharon and South Sharon. There are about 30 officers in the various works and they are in charge of Capt. Martin, who formerly held a position in the Pittsburgh police bureau. The accompanying picture shows all the officers of the North and South works. Capt. Martin is in the first row on the extreme left.

CHANGE IN OSTERLING'S PLANS IS NOW CHARGED

New Sensation in Squabble Over Luzerne County Court House. Statement by Architect.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WILKESBARRE, PA., Aug. 12.—A sensation was caused today during the investigation into the squabble over the new $1,000,000 court house, when it was discovered that Contractor Wilson J. Smith has not been working from the plans of Architect F. J. Osterling, of Pittsburgh, which were accepted by the commissioners. The fight has been going on for some time over the cost of stonework, the architect contending that it could be done for $19,000, and Contractor Smith's figures being $52,000. R. R. Smith of Philadelphia was employed by the county commissioners as an expert and today said that the work could be done for $40,000. During the cross-examination, when shown Osterling's plan, he exclaimed that there was a wide difference between the two. Attorney Lenahan, acting for Contractor Smith, declared that he had been tricked by the architect and that there was something rotten in the deal which would have to be exposed. The commissioners admitted giving Smith the plans and said they were given to them by Architect Osterling. A further investigation will be made, as Osterling was not present and the commissioners now hope that the trouble can be settled and the work continued. Fortunately, the work has extended no further than the foundations and the difference in plans will not seriously affect them.

Mr. Osterling said last night over the telephone that the statements made in connection with the Wilkesbarre court house are of malicious origin. The fight has lasted eight years already, he says. The contractor, who is a Wilkesbarre man, and the county officials, have been in a disagreement as to the costs of certain portions of the work recently, and Mr. Osterling was there a week ago in connection with it. The only changes made in the plans, he says, were those duly approved by the judges of the court. The charge of any other change than those made in the regular way he denies.

STATEMENT BY EX-CASHIER.

He Takes Exceptions to Report Made by the Receiver of a Defunct Institution.

NEWARK, O., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Ex-Cashier James F. Lingafelter today published a card in which he takes exceptions to the report of Receiver A. A. Stasel on the condition of the defunct Newark Savings bank filed yesterday, in which Lingafelter is charged with having overdrawn on the bank to the extent of $30,000.

The ex-cashier denies that he is in the bank's debt, but on the other hand that the institution owes him. He also says that the statement that he made loans with "reckless carelessness" is untrue, as every loan was made with the consent and by the advice of the discount committee, of which L. P. Schaus, president of the bank, was a member. Mr. Schaus denies this, but will make a statement later.

Same Job for McConville.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Daniel McConville of Ohio has been selected to manage the speakers' bureau for the Democratic national committee. He held a similar position during the campaign of 1896 and 1900.

FOUGHT POLICEMEN ON TOP OF A HOUSE

Burglar Was Shot and Clubbed Before He Could Be Subdued on a Roof.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 13.—Shot three times by a policeman, to whom he had refused to surrender when discovered on the roof of No. 417 Madison street, Hoboken, early today, a man supposed to be Michael Mundock, gave two policemen a fierce struggle on the nearby housetops before he was clubbed into insensibility. At St. Mary's hospital, where he was taken, it is said that the captive is in a serious condition.

Policeman James Russell heard cries of "murder," "police," early today and found a crowd of frightened men and women wildly pointing to the roof of the house. Summoning Policeman Gordon to his aid, Russell started for the roof. The supposed burglar refused to surrender, and when the policemen appeared on the roof, he dismantled a chimney and bombarded them with the bricks.

Drawing his pistol, Gordon again called on the man to surrender, and when the latter tried to flee he fired three shots. All hit the fugitive and in a moment his pursuers were upon him. The man was still able to fight, however, and tried again and again to hurl his captors over the edge of the roof.

Several times the crowd in the street saw the three stagger to the edge, only to fall back again as the policemen made the final effort to save their lives.

ALEXANDER DODDS.

SCHOOL TEACHERS VISIT ROOSEVELT

President Welcomes Party from Porto Rico in an Address at White House.

GREAT VALUE OF EDUCATION

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—President Roosevelt today tendered a reception and delivered a brief speech to about 500 school teachers of Porto Rico, who have been in this country for several weeks attending various normal schools. The reception took place in the East room of the White House. The president addressed the teachers as follows:

"Ladies and Gentlemen: I wish to greet you with all my heart here at the national capital. It is my earnest wish, as it was the wish of my lamented predecessor, and as it is the wish of this people of the United States that only unmixed good shall come to the people of Porto Rico because of their connection with this country. (Applause.)

"I greet you with peculiar pleasure and because this body and those like you who are engaged in the work of education in Porto Rico, are doing that work which more than any other is vital to the future of the island. We must have education in its broadest and deepest sense—education of the heart and soul as well as of the mind—in order to fit any people to do its duty among the free peoples of progress in the world. And I trust that you here, you teachers, you men and women engaged in preparing the next generation to do its work, realize fully the weight of the responsibility resting upon you. Accordingly as you here in this room and your colleagues do your work well or ill it depends as to how the next generation of Porto Ricans shall do their work in the world.

"I am glad to see you because of the very fact that there is this responsibility upon you. Nothing in this world comes to people who will not work. Nothing worth having comes to those who do not or are not willing to make an effort get it; and I hail you here because you represent that great body of your fellows in Porto Rico who are making every effort to set themselves physically, mentally and morally to do the best work of which they are capable in the world. I greet you and welcome you here." (Applause.)

The members of the party then were presented to the president by Samuel M. Lindsay, superintendent of public instruction of Porto Rico. President Roosevelt extended to each a cordial personal greeting.

POPULISTS GIVE OUT PLANS FOR NOTIFICATION

ALBANY, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Jay W. Forrest, chairman of the Populist notification committee, announced today that at the meeting at Cooper Union, New York, August 18 Thomas E. Watson, the party's candidate for president, will be officially informed of his nomination by Judge Samuel W. Williams of Vincennes, Ind., and vice presidential candidate Thomas H. Tibbles by ex-United States Senator William V. Allen of Madison, Neb. A full electoral and state ticket will be placed in the field in New York.

MUST STOP KILLING THE BIRDS OF PLUMAGE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—A cablegram has been received from Lieut. C. S. Owen, commanding the detachment of marines at Midway island, the landing point of the Pacific cable, stating that the employes of the cable company have threatened to leave the island by the next steamer if the order of the navy department prohibiting them from carrying firearms and shooting the beautiful birds of the island is not inforced. The department has replied that the order must be rigidly inforced. The government is determined to stop the slaughter of these birds of plumage.

BORTMAS BEARS CHINESE TITLES

Butler Man, Interpreter and Imperial Army Officer, Back at Old Home.

HE HAS SOME COSTLY GIFTS

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BUTLER, PA., Aug. 12.—After an absence of 21 years, during which he visited nearly every portion of the globe, Maj. Gilson A. Bortmas is visiting his old home and relatives. Bortmas was born near Butler, and is a son of the late John Bortmas.

About the time of attaining his majority, he left home and his life story since then is as interesting as a novel.

Maj. Gilson A. Bortmas.

He first worked at various occupations in Pittsburgh and Cincinnati. In the latter city he learned to speak and write the Chinese language. Going to San Francisco, he became acquainted with influential Chinamen in Chinatown and also picked up a fair knowledge of the Spanish language. As a result, he was employed as interpreter by the Chinese government and went to Chile with a delegation of Chinese noblemen to arbitrate a difference between the two countries. Bortmas' services were so highly appreciated by the celestials that they took him with them to Pekin, where he was received by the empress dowager and highly honored, being given titles and gifts. He received the title of major in the Chinese army and was present in China during the Boxer troubles, where, he says, he saw heads struck off, one after another, by the hundreds. Traveling through Japan, the Philippines, Australasia, Australia, some of the South American countries and parts of Europe followed, and on his return to America, Maj. Bortmas finds himself loaded down with rare and costly relics and gifts. Among his prizes are a gold-mounted sword, a gold and jade-mounted scepter, uniquely carved, gold vases, snuffboxes and other trinkets covered with small gems, and Chinese paintings on cloth of gold and silk. He also has a variety of Panama hats, and a lump of silver with the Chinese seal and "75 taels" stamped on it, which is worth $45 in American coin and weighs several pounds.

Maj. Bortmas has passports and seals both Chinese and Manchurian, and expects to return to China. He also has a private seal bestowed upon him at the Chinese court. He is a Mystic Shriner and has many decorations of the Masonic order.

All men's trousers at half price
Men's trousers now marked $1.50 go at 75c
Men's trousers now marked $2.00 go at 1.00
Men's trousers now marked $2.48 go at 1.24
Men's trousers now marked $3.50 go at 1.75

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"THE BIG STORE"

All men's trousers at half price
Men's trousers now marked $4.00 go at 2.00
Men's trousers now marked $5.00 go at 2.50
Men's trousers now marked $6.00 go at 3.00
Men's trousers now marked $8.50 go at 4.25

OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF MEN'S CLOTHING
1/2 OFF THE MARKED PRICE

THE sale of the Gusky and Sampter clothing stocks naturally retarded the sale of our own clothing to a very considerable extent—with the result that our stock of men's suits is very much larger than it should be at this season of the year. Now, in order to quickly reduce it, we are compelled to take most drastic measures—and accordingly offer the entire stock of men's suits (with the exception of full dress garments and liveries) at

50% off the marked prices

Select any garment in our entire stock that strikes your fancy and pay only one-half the marked price. This aggressive act of ours forcibly demonstrates our willingness to sell at a loss rather than carry goods over. All goods must go in their respective season is one of the laws of this house. Accordingly, this half-off-the-marked-price sale is the logical outcome of our policy of allowing nothing to deter us from the successful accomplishment of any business move that we deem wise and expedient. This is one of the very best clothing offers we have ever made by reason of the immensity of the stock and the excellent range of sizes and patterns. Bear in mind the goods are not slow sellers or the dregs of the season—but our own entire stock of new, seasonable, high-class, fashionable clothing, than which there is no better. Choose from hundreds and hundreds of styles—the nobbiest worsteds, cassimeres and cheviots, also plain blue and black serges, cheviots and worsteds—all outing suits are also embraced—in fact, nothing at all is reserved excepting, as above stated, the full dress garments and liveries.

If you select a suit marked $ 6 you deduct $3.00 and pay only 3.00
If you select a suit marked $ 8 you deduct $4.00 and pay only 4.00
If you select a suit marked $10 you deduct $5.00 and pay only 5.00
If you select a suit marked $12 you deduct $6.00 and pay only 6.00
If you select a suit marked $15 you deduct $7.50 and pay only 7.50
If you select a suit marked $18 you deduct $ 9.00 and pay only 9.00
If you select a suit marked $20 you deduct $10.00 and pay only 10.00
If you select a suit marked $25 you deduct $12.50 and pay only 12.50
If you select a suit marked $30 you deduct $15.00 and pay only 15.00
If you select a suit marked $35 you deduct $17.50 and pay only 17.50

Our entire stock of men's trousers also included in this half-price sale

MR. DOOLEY
on "THE POLITICAL PROSPECT" in
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THE PIRATES HAVE AN EASY TIME IN BEATING BOSTON---OTHER LATE SPORTING

BOSTON IS EASY FOR PITTSBURGH

Champions Make Merry With the Bat and Win the Game, 14 to 2.

MIKE LYNCH IS ON THE SLAB

NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES.

Pittsburgh	14	Boston	2
Chicago	2	Philadelphia	1
Brooklyn	2	St. Louis	0
New York	2	Cincinnati	1
Cincinnati	3	New York	2

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	69	36	.657	St. Louis	50	48	.510
Chicago	59	36	.621	Boston	38	63	.376
Pittsburgh	56	38	.596	Brooklyn	33	66	.357
Cincinnati	58	42	.580	Philadelphia	26	70	.271

GAMES TODAY.

Pittsburgh at Boston.
Cincinnati at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Brooklyn.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BOSTON, Mass., Aug. 12.—Pittsburgh's upward climb was continued today in a farcical victory over Buckenberger's braves. The score, 14 to 2, indicates very fairly the relative merits of the two teams as they played today.

Pittsburgh scored six runs in the fourth inning and the Boston catcher, Needham, broke a finger. The coincidence seemed to unnerve the local team, and Dreyfuss' men made their runs practically at will.

The game was the most complicated the local grounds have seen in many a day. Both teams were short-handed, and the shifts in the batting orders puzzled the oldest fans. After taking the lead at the start the Pittsburghs were never headed.

Mike Lynch, the Brown college man, delighted a big crowd of his old undergraduate chums by pitching a game that held the Pittsburg locals safe at all stages. Opening on Pittinger with three singles in succession after he had passed McCormick, the first batter, the Pittsburghs held Boston safe in three innings, and from then on put the game on ice by a batting rally in which every Pirate came to the bat.

In the fifth inning eleven men out of the nine were on the bases, and they might have been playing the subsequent innings still had not the visitors wearied of run-getting. Wagner made the game more farcical each time he came to bat, batting up monkey-shines in a most amusing fashion.

Beaumont retired toward the end in favor of Flaherty, who cracked out a beauty two-bagger. Pittinger had little or no speed and his support would demoralize any pitcher. The best play was a running catch by Cannell close to the third base stands. The score:

Pittsb'gh.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
McC'rm'k	1	1	0	1	0	Geier m	0	2	0	1	1
F'lherty	m.	0	2	1	0	0	Tenn'y l-m	0	2	8	0	1
Fl'h'rty	m.	0	1	1	0	0	Abb'chio	s.	0	1	1	2	1
Cassady	r.	2	1	2	0	0	Moran	3-c.	1	0	5	1	2
Wagner	1-s	2	2	0	2	0	Delo'y	2-3.	1	0	1	4	1
Kruger	s.	2	1	1	3	1	Cannell	l.	0	1	4	1	1
Ritchey	2.	3	0	5	4	0	Carney	r.	0	0	0	0	0
Ff'ield	1.	2	2	9	1	0	Needham	c.	0	1	2	1	0
Carisch	c.	2	2	6	2	0	Cooley	1.	0	0	2	0	0
Lynch	p.	0	2	1	0	0	Pitt'ger	p.	0	1	0	4	1
							Pittinger	p.	0	1	0	4	1
Totals.	14	13	27	12	1	Totals.	2	8	27	12	8

Pittsburgh	1	0	0	0	6	2	1	1	0	3	—14
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—2

Two-base hits—Wagner, Kruger, Flaherty, Geier, Tenney. Three-base hit—Brunsfield. Stolen bases—Wagner, Cassady. Double plays—Wagner, Ritchey and Bransfield. First base on balls—Off Pittinger 6, off Lynch 1. Struck out—By Lynch 5, by Pittinger 5. Time of game—1:59. Umpires—Carpenter and Morah. Attendance, 2,171.

Reds and Giants Divide.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—New York and Cincinnati split even in a double-header today. Objection was made to the decisions of Umpire Bolder on the bases in the ninth of the first game and McGann out of the second, Donlin replacing both. Kelley objected to a close decision in the third inning of the second game and was ordered off the field, Dolan taking his place. The scores:

FIRST GAME.

N'Y'k	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cincin'ti.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
D'han	m-l	0	0	2	0	0	Kelley	l.	0	1	2	0	0
Donlin	m.	0	0	2	0	0	Schmidt	1-s.	0	1	1	2	0
Browne	r.	0	1	0	0	0	Seb'ring	r.	0	0	1	2	0
Devlin	3.	1	1	1	1	0	Odwell	l.	0	0	1	0	0
McGann	1.	0	1	3	1	0	Corcoran	s.	0	0	2	6	0
Donlin	m.	0	0	0	0	0	Odwell	l.	1	1	1	0	0
Mertes	l.	1	0	1	1	0	Corcoran	s.	0	0	3	3	1
Dahlen	s.	0	0	2	3	1	Steinfeldt	3.	0	1	1	3	2
Gilbert	2.	0	0	1	2	4	Schlei	c.	1	1	5	1	2
Bow'man	c.	0	0	10	1	0	Woodruff	2.	0	0	1	4	1
Ames	p.	0	0	1	0	0	Kellum	p.	0	0	2	2	0
Totals.		2	4	27	12	2	Totals.		3	6	12	27	9

New York	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	—3

Two-base hits—Dolan, Sacrifice hits—Browne, Gilbert. Stolen bases—Mertes 2, Dolan, Corcoran, Steinfeldt. First base on balls—Off Ames 2, off Kellum 2. Struck out—By Ames 1, by Kellum 2. Wild pitch—By Kellum 1, by Ames 1. Time—1:55. Umpire—Emslie. Attendance—12,814.

Lush Asleep; Game Is Lost.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 12.—In the seventh inning Tinker batted to Wolverton, who threw to first, but Lush failed to cover the bag and Evers scored the winning run from second base. During the game Tinker received a telegram informing him of the death of his mother. Attendance, 1,500. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Slagle	l.	0	0	0	0	0	Thomas	m.	1	0	7	0	0
Casey	3.	0	2	1	1	0	Titus	l.	0	1	5	0	0
Chance	1.	0	1	7	0	0	Wolv'ton	3.	0	1	0	0	1
M'Car'y	m.	0	0	2	0	0	McGee	1.	0	1	9	0	0
Kling	c.	0	1	7	2	1	Gleason	2.	0	0	1	3	0
Evers	2.	1	1	3	4	0	Lush	l.	0	0	7	0	1
Tinker	s.	0	1	1	5	1	Donlin	c.	0	0	2	1	0
Taylor	c.	0	0	2	1	0	Donohue	s.	0	0	1	2	0
Brown	p.	0	0	1	1	0	Duggleby	p.	0	0	0	4	0
Totals.		2	5	27	13	3	Totals.		1	4	27	9	1

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—2	
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1	

Two-base hits—Casey, Evers. Stolen bases—Tinker, Titus, Donohue. Double play—Evers and Chance. First base on balls—Off Brown 3, off Duggleby 1. Hit by pitcher—By Duggleby 1. Struck out—By Brown 6, by Duggleby 1. Time—1:30. Umpire—Zimmer.

Brooklyn Finally Wins Game.

BROOKLYN, Aug. 12.—For the first time since July 20 the home club won a game this afternoon, shutting out St. Louis 2 to 0. Cronin was in fine form, allowing only three hits. Only one of the visitors got to second base. Score:

Brooklyn.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Gessler	m.	2	2	3	0	0	Farrell	2.	0	1	2	5	0
Dillon	1.	0	0	8	0	0	Shannon	r.	0	0	1	0	0
Lumley	r.	0	1	0	0	0	Kelley	l.	0	0	1	0	0
Sheckard	1.	0	1	7	0	0	Brain	s.	0	0	1	3	1
Strang	2.	0	0	1	0	0	Smoot	m.	0	0	1	0	0
Babb	l.	0	0	3	1	0	Barclay	1.	0	0	1	0	0
Bergen	c.	0	0	2	2	0	Burke	3.	0	0	0	2	0
McCor'k	3.	0	0	2	3	0	McLean	c.	0	0	4	2	0
Cronin	p.	0	0	0	2	0	O'Neil	p.	0	1	0	5	0
Totals.		2	5	27	8	0	Totals.		0	3	24	17	2

Brooklyn	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—2	
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0	

Two-base hits—Gessler, Lumley. Three-base hit—Gessler. Sacrifice hits—Sheckard, Babb, Shannon. Double play—Farrell and Beckley. First base on balls—Off Cronin 1, off O'Neil 2. Hit by pitched ball—By O'Neil 1. Struck out—By Cronin 4, by O'Neil 2. Passed ball—McLean. Time of game—1:15. Umpire—Johnston. Attendance, 1,800.

HIGHLANDERS WIN FROM WHITE SOX

New York Chases in Two Runs in First Inning and Is Never Headed.

THE CONTEST IS A FAST ONE.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Philadelphia	3	Cleveland	0
New York	2	Chicago	1
Boston	2	St. Louis	1
Detroit	3	Washington	2

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	59	39	.602	Cleveland	50	42	.543
Boston	58	38	.604	Detroit	39	54	.419
New York	56	38	.596	St. Louis	36	55	.404
Philadelphia	54	39	.581	Washington	21	72	.226

TODAY'S GAMES.

Boston at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.
New York at Chicago.
Washington at Detroit.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—New York defeated the locals today in another close and exciting game. One clean hit, two scratch singles, a double steal and a sacrifice gave the visitors two runs at the start.

Orth's only pass, with two singles, saved Chicago from being blanked. Both teams gave a great exhibition of fast and clever fielding. Attendance, 10,580. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Green	r.	0	1	2	0	0	Do'herty	l.	1	1	1	0	0
Jones	m.	0	0	1	0	0	Keeler	r.	0	1	2	0	0
Callahan	l-p.	0	0	1	0	0	Elberfeld	s.	0	0	2	1	0
Davis	s.	0	0	7	3	1	Anderson	1.	0	1	13	1	0
Tan'hill	3.	1	2	2	0	3	Ganzel	2.	0	0	1	3	0
Isbell	l.	0	0	13	1	0	Fultz	m.	0	0	1	0	0
Dundon	2.	0	0	0	2	0	Conroy	3.	0	1	0	2	0
Sullivan	c.	0	1	2	2	0	Kleinow	c.	0	0	3	0	0
Owen	p.	0	0	1	3	0	Orth	p.	0	2	1	5	0
Totals.		1	4	27	15	1	Totals.		2	6	27	15	0

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1
New York	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Sacrifice hit—Elberfeld. Stolen bases—Keeler, Anderson. Double play—Conroy and Anderson. Struck out—By Owen 1, by Orth 2. Bases on balls—Off Owen 1, off Orth 3. Hit by pitched ball—Elberfeld. Time of game—1:30. Umpire—Sheridan.

Killian Pitches Fine Ball.

DETROIT, Aug. 12.—Killian's fine pitching was too much for Washington today. He struck out 10 men, generally at critical times. The visitors gained an early lead, but by good playing and Drill's hit with three on bases, Detroit forged ahead. Hickman did his first safe hitting since joining the club three days ago. Score:

Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Wash'ton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Barrett	m.	1	0	2	1	0	Stahl	1.	0	0	9	0	0
Coughlin	3.	0	0	1	1	0	Hill	3.	0	0	1	2	0
Robinson	1.	0	1	1	0	0	McCor'k	2.	0	0	1	3	0
Crawf'd	r.	1	0	2	0	0	Huelsman	1.	1	2	2	0	0
Hickm'n	l.	1	1	3	0	0	O'Neil	m.	0	0	2	0	0
Love	2.	0	0	2	3	0	Down	r.	1	0	1	0	0
Drill	c.	0	1	10	2	2	Cassidy	s.	0	1	5	3	1
Killian	p.	0	0	2	1	0	Kittredge	c.	0	2	4	1	0
Killian	p.	0	1	0	3	0	Jacobsen	p.	0	1	1	5	0
							*Clarke		0	0	0	0	0
Totals.		3	4	27	11	4	Totals.		2	6	24	14	1

*Batted for Jacobsen in the ninth inning.

Washington	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2	
Detroit	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	—4	

Two-base hits—Robinson. Three-base hit—Huelsman. Sacrifice hits—Coughlin, Lowe 2, O'Leary, McCormick, O'Neil. Bases on balls—Off Killian 3, off Jacobsen 5. Balk—Killian. Hit by pitched ball—Killian 1. Struck out—By Killian 10, by Jacobsen 3. Double play—O'Leary to Lowe to Hickman. Wild pitches—Jacobsen 2. Time of game—2:05. Umpires—King and O'Loughlin. Attendance, 3,000.

Athletics Blank Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, O., Aug. 12.—Philadelphia had no trouble in defeating Cleveland today, Henley Bolding the locals to three hits. Joss held Philadelphia to five hits. A muff by Lush allowed the visitors to score three runs in the fifth. Attendance, 3,266. Score:

Clev'land.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Bay	m.	0	0	2	0	0	Hartsel	1.	1	0	0	0	0
Flick	r.	0	0	2	0	1	Pic'ring	m.	1	0	2	0	0
Lajoie	2.	0	1	2	2	0	Davis	1.	2	1	13	0	1
Bradley	3.	0	0	0	2	0	L. Cross	3.	1	1	0	2	0
Carr	l.	0	0	1	0	0	Dooin	c.	0	0	2	0	0
Lush	l.	0	0	2	0	2	Murphy	2.	0	1	3	5	0
Turner	s.	0	0	1	0	4	M. Cross	s.	0	0	2	5	0
Buelow	c.	0	0	8	1	0	Schreck	c.	0	0	5	1	0
Joss	p.	0	0	1	0	4	Henley	p.	0	0	0	1	0
Totals.		0	3	27	13	3	Totals.		5	5	27	14	1

Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0	
Philadelphia	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	—5	

Sacrifice hits—Pickering, L. Cross. First base on balls—Off Joss 2, Henley 2. Hit by pitched ball—Joss 1. Struck out—By Joss 7, by Henley 5. Passed ball—Buelow. Time—1:25. Umpire—Dwyer. Attendance—3,266.

Boston Blanks St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 12.—Boston defeated St. Louis today in a fast game. Boston's three doubles netted the two runs. Attendance, 1,123. Score:

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Hemphill	1.	0	1	1	1	0	Selbach	1.	1	0	3	0	0
Heid'k	m.	0	0	2	4	0	Parent	s.	1	1	4	5	0
Moran	3.	0	0	0	0	0	Stahl	m.	0	0	1	0	0
Wallace	s.	0	0	4	5	0	Collins	3.	0	0	0	2	0
Jones	2.	0	0	2	1	0	Freeman	r.	0	1	1	0	0
Hynes	r.	0	0	1	0	0	Lachance	1.	0	0	9	0	0
Sugden	1.	0	0	14	0	0	Ferris	2.	0	0	8	3	0
Kahoe	c.	0	0	1	2	0	Criger	c.	0	0	4	1	0
Sudhoff	p.	0	0	0	3	0	Dineen	p.	0	0	0	5	0
Totals.		0	1	27	12	0	Totals.		2	3	27	11	0

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0	
Boston	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—2	

Two-base hits—Stahl, Parent, Freeman. Sacrifice hit—Parent. Bases on balls—Off Sudhoff 3, off Dineen 1. Struck out—By Sudhoff 3, by Dineen 4. Left on bases—St. Louis 5, Boston 4. Time of game—1:17. Umpire—Connolly.

Altoona Clouts the Ball.

ALTOONA, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Veil today did not allow a safety until the eighth inning. In Altoona's half of the seventh Carpenter's men, by slugging the ball, won the game. The fielding of Risling was the most sensational seen here in years. Score:

Altoona.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Harrisburg	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Fisher	2.	1	1	1	5	0	Maley	m.	0	1	1	0	0
Hinton	3.	2	2	2	3	2	Bonner	2.	0	0	3	4	0
Iott	r.	1	2	0	0	0	Murphy	3.	1	0	0	1	0
Davis	l.	1	1	3	0	0	Deal	1.	1	0	9	0	0
W'Sons	s.	1	1	1	4	1	Flinn	l.	1	0	2	1	0
Risling	m.	0	0	4	1	0	Brod'rick	s.	1	0	2	2	1
Zalusky	c.	0	0	5	0	1	Nicolar	r.	0	0	2	0	0
Milton	1.	1	1	11	0	0	Agnew	c.	0	0	3	0	0
Veil	p.	0	0	2	0	0	Hilbert	p.	0	0	0	1	0
							Davis	p.	0	0	0	1	0
							*M'Geehan		0	1	0	0	0
Totals.		8	10	27	16	6	Totals.		4	2	24	10	1

*Batted for Deal in the ninth inning.

Altoona	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	—8	
Harrisburg	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	—4	

Two-base hits—Hinton, Fisher, Davis, McGeehan. Three-base hit—Iott. Sacrifice hits—Zalusky. Bases on balls—Off Veil 3, off Hilbert 3. Struck out—By Veil 5, by Hilbert 1, by Davis 1. Innings pitched by Hilbert, 6 2-3; by Davis, 1 1-3. Hits off Hilbert, 8, off Davis, 2. Time of game—1:42. Umpire—Phelan.

At Williamsport—			R.	H.	E.
Williamsport	1	0	0	2	6	0	0	0	*—3	7	1
Lebanon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1

Batteries—Dunkle and Barton; Nops and Sweeney. Umpire—Connors.

At Wilmington—										R.	H.	E.
Penn Park	1	0	0	0	0	1	4	2	*—8	14	3	
Wilmington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1	6	0

Batteries—McGlynn and Smith; McPhillips and Knotts. Umpire—Creer.

Central League Games.

At Wheeling—									R.	H.	E.
Wheeling	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	*—3	4	3
Fort Wayne	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2	7	2

Batteries—Hanlon and Schriever; Carbinier and Getzein.

At Evansville—										R.	H.	E.
Evansville	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	—4	9	2
South Bend	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—3	8	2

Batteries—Williams and Cross; Moffitt and Tieman.

At Terre Haute—										R.	H.	E.
Terre Haute	1	0	0	1	5	3	0	0	*—10	7	7	
Grand Rapids	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0	5	6

Batteries—Scott and Street; Cobean, Miller and Jessup.

At Marion—										R.	H.	E.
Marion	0	0	2	2	0	3	0	0	*—7	14	1	
Dayton	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—3	6	3

Batteries—Armstrong and Shannon; Bailey and McKinley.

MORNING STAR IS WINNING FAVORITE

Lands $5,000 Pace at Empire City in Straight Heats—Swift Makes Good.

FINISHES CLOSE AND EXCITING

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Close and exciting finishes characterized the grand circuit races at the Empire City track today. The 2:17 trot gave a foretaste of the sport to come. Leonora was the choice at $25 for the field's $30, but she was never formidable. Miss Jeannette, who had the pole, led to the quarter where she was passed by Earline S., who led the party to the top of the stretch, where she was joined by Alex Campbell and Buxenite, who came down to the wire like a three-horse team, and won in the order named necks apart.

The $5,000 pace for the 2:15 class only produced a field of six. Morning Star, an even money favorite, won in straight heats.

The most popular victory of the day and at the same time a great drop for the talent was the victory of Swift in the 2:07 trot, a dash of one mile. Pools sold McKinley $100, Caspian $35, Swift $30, Hawthorne $25, and the field $5. McKinley took the lead but broke at the quarter, when Swift at once shot to the front and won by half a length. Prince Alert paced to beat 1:59½, and went in 2:00¼. Summaries:

2:18 pace, stake $5,000, mile heats, two in three.

Morning Star, b. h., by Star Pointer-Fanny Eathorne, by Eathorne, Mc-Donald										1	1
China Maid, b. m., McLaughlin										2	2
Baron Grattan, b. g., Geers										3	3
Winnie King, ch. m., Wilson										4	4
Angus Pointer, b. g., MacPherson										4	ds
Bob Hughes, b. h., Highnight										ds	
Time—2:05, 2:05¼.											

2:15 trot, John H. Shults stake, $2,150.

Bonnie Russell, b. h., by Conniger-Bonnie Ella, Hudson	1	3	1
Arlsto, b. g., DeRyder	3	1	2
Single M., ch. g., Cummings and McDonald	5	2	3
Tuna, b. m., Goodrich	2	4	6
Media, b. m., Doble	4	7	4
Vendora, br. m., Gordon	7	6	5
Delma Gregor, b. m., Best	6	5	7
Sonato, b. m., Kenney	9	8	ds
Grayston, br. g., Drumm	8	ds	
T. E. M., b. h., Moore	ds		
Nellie Jay, ro. m., McKay	ds		

Time—2:08¼, 2:08¼, 2:11.

2:15 trot, purse $600, dash, 1 1-16 miles.

Earline S., b. m., by Earl-Miss Simmons, by Honest Allen, Garrison	1		
Alex Campbell, b. g., Cummings	2		
Buxonite, r. g., Thomas	3		
Leonora, b. m., Ryder	4		
Miss Jeannette	5		
Main Land	6		
Ballad	7		
Belle Sligo	ds		

Time—2:20¾.

2:07 trot, purse $900, dash, one mile.

Swift, b. h., by Antonio-Recollect, by Kentucky Prince	1		
Caspian, b. g., Shank	2		
Hawthorne, ro. m., Hudson	3		
McKinley, b. g., Boone	4		
Idolita	5		
Wilkenet	6		

Time—2:09.

2:07 pace, purse $800, dash, one mile.

Winfield Stratton, b. h., by Soraway-Blue Pearl, by Grovers Blue Bull, McGuire	1		
Alberto, g. g., Wes Demald	2		
Eudora, blk. m., Snow	3		
Surfrect, blk. m., Wilson	4		
Baron Rogers	5		
Verna Patchen	6		
Cascade	7		
Centrifice	8		
Foxie Curd	9		

Time—2:07¾.

Special to beat 1:53½—Prince Alert. Time 2:09¾.

WHERE THE AMATEUR TEAMS PLAY TODAY

Teams.	Grounds.
Amateur Stars vs. Osbornes	Osborne
Wide Awakes vs. H. Ave. C. II	Avalon
Allegheny Stear vs. Royal	Brunots Island
Melrose vs. Shaners	Shaners
Lincolns vs. Brackenridge	Brackenridge
Parette vs. West Elmas	West Elmas
Mayflower vs. Penn Club	Recreation
Brushton vs. Electric	Brushton
Swissvale vs. Pair Haven	Swissvale
Chamberlain vs. Ashfords	Ashfords
Foster vs. Bokermann	Foster
Pittsburgh Supply vs. Kleinman	Nevill Island
Montour vs. Coraopolis	Montour
Oakdale H. S. vs. Cabinet	Cabinet
Weisls vs. Stars	Avalon
Crescents vs. Waltons	Crescent
Brunots Island vs. Sterlings	Brunots Island
Pgh. Lyceum vs. West Newton	West Newton
Lafayettes vs. Springdale	Springdale
Imperials vs. Carnegie	Carnegie
Hilltops vs. Coraopolis	Coraopolis
Signals vs. Ann. & W.	Annandale
Highland vs. Pequots	Pequot
Mifflin vs. Olympia	Olympia
Admirals vs. Burgettstown	Burgettstown

OLD GRIDIRON STAR VICTOR ON GOLF LINKS

CAPE MAY, N. J., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Arthur W. Rosengarten, the old University of Pennsylvania football player, and Miss Ellen W. Williams of Philadelphia won the handicap mixed foursome tourney and was concluded in the links today. When they beat John L. Rogers, Jr., and Miss Esther Dougherty 3 up and 2 to play. The winners had four more strokes handicap than the losers.

Niles Scores Third Shutout.

SHARON, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Niles made it three shutouts this week by defeating Sharon today, 5 to 0. The score:

Sharon.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Niles.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Crum	s.	0	0	2	3	0	Sheehan	s.	0	1	2	5	0
Herwig	r.	0	1	0	1	1	Patterson	1.	0	0	9	0	0
Murphy	l.	0	0	12	1	0	Nagle	s.	0	0	3	2	0
Ryan	3.	0	0	0	2	0	Ortley	m.	0	0	2	7	0
Kerr	1.	0	0	8	0	0	Reid	m.	0	1	2	1	0
Applebee	2.	0	0	0	2	0	G'burner	1.	1	1	2	0	0
M'Llin	m.	0	0	4	0	0	Kommer	r.	1	2	0	0	0
Double	p.	0	1	0	0	0	Gouzer	2.	1	2	3	3	0

WILL APPEAL TO MAYOR HARRISON

Retail Meat Dealers Desire His Efforts in Putting End to Strike.

STRIKERS STONE UNION LEADER

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Mayor Carter H. Harrison will tomorrow be asked to do what he can toward settling the stock yards strike. With all prospects of peace, or even peace conferences, gone the retail meat dealers and grocers tonight decided to ask Mayor Harrison to take a position in the present conflict similar to the position taken by him in the street car strike last fall, which was settled through his efforts.

Cornelius Shea, president of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, declared today that there would be no more sympathetic strikes of the members of his union. He declared that all the packing house teamsters now on strike would remain on strike.

President Golden of the Teamsters' union was attacked today while trying to rescue Max Falk, a union teamster, who was driving a wagon loaded with meat. Forty hundred persons had pursued Falk, not knowing he was a unionist, and were attacking him, when Golden appeared. When Falk produced a union button Golden mounted the wagon, took the reins and urged back the mob. Stones and sticks were showered at Golden, who suffered many injuries before he was recognized.

Opening of a commissary station for the strikers today drew so large a crowd that union officials found themselves unable to cope with the situation. It was feared the building would be wrecked by the impatient and hungry throng. When the labor officials found themselves helpless, a committee was sent to the nearest police station to request a police detail of two men to preserve order and prevent women and children from being trampled upon. The request was denied, it being declared there were no available officers to send out.

PERSONALS

"The west is fast becoming the center of the dairy industry of the country," said J. W. Wilson of Lincoln, Neb., last night. "Kansas and Nebraska are getting to be the greatest dairy states in the union, and when it is considered that the industry has only been introduced in those states within recent years, its development is something remarkable. In Nebraska the development of this industry will be quickened by reason of the operation of the Kinkaid law, increasing the size of homesteads from 160 to 640 acres in the western part of the state. The dairy business in both Kansas and Nebraska is run on the centralization plan, which means that one large creamery company manufactures all the dairy product of a district. Cream is shipped in refrigerator cars a distance of 400 miles, in some cases, to the large central plant, and there it is manufactured into butter. The cream, when it leaves the country station, is sweet. When it reaches the central factory it is pasteurized and ripened. This creamery business is proving to be one of the principal sources of revenue to the farmers."

The members of several Grand Army posts passed through the city last evening on their way to Boston to attend the annual convention. Among them was the Andrew Crawford Post No. 6 of New Philadelphia; the Rickseeker Post of Canal Dover, and the post from East Liverpool. At the Union station John C. Joss, chief bugler of the National Association of War Musicians, gave a few of the civil war calls. The party left on the 10 o'clock train.

Capt. John Newmont, one of the yard engineers of the Pennsylvania railroad, left last night for Atlantic City to spend a few days.

William H. Hochberg and wife of Penn township left last night for Atlantic City.

The first division of the Pittsburgh members of the Union Ex-Prisoners of War left the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie station last night for Boston to attend the annual convention of the organization. Col. J. D. Walker, national commander, and his staff, went with the members who, with their friends, numbered about 300. Commander Walker has issued an order designating Daniel McSweeney and I. N. Bliss as color bearers for the parade, and the Allegheny county association selected the following to represent it in the convention: Commander J. W. Eberhardt; vice commander, I. N. Bliss; adjutant, A. H. Jones; quartermaster, F. L. Blair; delegates, J. A. Fairman, G. Coulter, D. A. Haggerty, John Scott, I. N. Bliss, James Cooper, John Russell. Daniel McSweeney, G. W. Ermer; alternates, Alfred Horn, John Walters, H. M. Johnson, Joseph Hamlin, F. L. Blair, S. Creatman, Joseph Frederick, G. W. Derby, J. M. Moore.

Eugene von Pistohlken, a resident of St. Petersburg, left for New York yesterday after a stay of several days in Pittsburgh. He has been examining the electric street car lines in this country at the request of a number of Russian financiers who contemplate installing a line near the capital of Russia. The Russian declares that the peasantry of his country have been misrepresented by such novelists as Tolstoy and that they are not discontented nor inclined to anarchy. He declared that the war news from Tokyo and London was colored to give the Japanese the best of everything and that the struggle will be a bitter one and long, with ultimate triumph for the Russians.

W. E. Nagle, for the past 10 years foreman of the friction draft gear and duplex pump department of the Westinghouse air brake works at Wilmerding, resigned his position yesterday and left for Milwaukee, where he will become superintendent of the works of the Bucyrus Machine Company.

Several people passed through the city last night to inspect gold mining property at Portland, Ore. Among them were L. O. Davis of Lancaster, in charge of the branch of the Cleveland Security Company; J. G. Erb, president of the First National bank of Lititz; J. L. Bauck of Strausburg; A. J. Sunney and J. Wallace White, president of the Cleveland Security Company. Mr. White was appointed by the Cleveland chamber of commerce to make an inspection of the property in the Portland fields. Mr. Erb is a delegate to the gold mining congress, which will be held in Portland August 22 to 24.

Charles L. Buente, a member of the Builders' Exchange league, left last night for Atlantic City.

A party of seven dentists left last night for St. Louis. They were J. A. Duenker, Pittsburgh; R. J. Graham, Ligonier; C. P. Wauchman, McKeesport; N. S. Clark, Burgettstown; R. B. Blair, Waynesburg, and G. Colvin of Greensburg.

Neighbors Visiting Pittsburgh.

Residents of nearby towns at the local hotels last night were:

Lincoln—J. D. Henry, Wheeling; Thomas T. White, Clairton; R. S. Stanton, Indiana.

Seventh Avenue—J. D. Denney, Ford City; R. R. Blair, Waynesburg; George E. Colvin, Wilson; John Rapper, Latrobe.

Duquesne—T. B. Thackson, Brownsville.

Henry—I. A. Tolland, Wheeling; E. T. Reith, Bradford; A. G. Smith, Brookville; Charles S. Carton, Waynesburg.

Arlington—W. C. Knowles, Wheeling; R. M. Matson, Brookville; J. W. Poling, Fairmont.

Monongahela House—T. J. Williams, Altoona; F. W. Powers, Youngstown; John R. Martin, Oil City.

Colonial—J. D. Stewart, Erie; J. D. Davis, Monessen.

Points for Parents.

"Study the child and discover where his greatest interest lies," says Mrs. Theodore W. Birney, honorary president of the National Congress of Mothers, discussing "The Choice of Occupation," in the September Delineator. Mrs. Birney very warmly advocates a kind of natural selection, to be discovered by the parent in watching what toys the child prefers to play with—paints, carpenters' tools, etc. In the same number Lillie Hamilton French gives a suggestive warning to parents to prevent them destroying the spontaneity and self-confidence which means so much to their children's future happiness and success; and Priscilla Wakefield has an interesting little comparative study of the training of girls now and in the days of our grandmothers.

Reliable World's Fair Information may be obtained at Pennsylvania Lines' Free Information Bureau, 360 Fifth avenue, corner entrance Smithfield street, or by addressing J. K. Dillon, District Passenger Agent, Room 515 Park building, Pittsburgh, Pa. book of St. Louis hotels and boarding houses, with rates; city map and new illustrated books describing the world's fair as it is now may be had for the asking.

News of the Nearby Towns and Country

FIREMEN WRANGLE LONG OVER RACING DECISIONS

Turtle Creek Wins One Contest and Claims Another—Prize Taken by Mt. Oliver.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Aug. 12.—With only five races to run today the contesting companies of the Western Pennsylvania Firemen's Association wrangled, quarreled and fought for eight hours, with the result that only three races were completed at 6 o'clock tonight and the other races were held over. There were objections entered by the different companies to almost every movement made by the judges. There was an immense crowd and a number of fights occurred.

The hub and hub race for an association cup was left in an undecided state owing to the objections filed. McKees Rocks made the 200-yard dash in 23½ seconds; Turtle Creek, 24, Charleroi, 23 3-5 and Donora 24½. Turtle Creek claims the trophy and alleged the other companies started before the pistol was fired. The 200-yard hose race for $100, $50 and $25 was won by Turtle Creek in 27 seconds; Uniontown second, 29½; East Pittsburgh third, 29 2-5; McKees Rocks fourth, 29 4-5; Donora, 31; North Braddock, 34, and Charleroi last. The prize drill for $25 was carried off by Mt. Oliver, that company being the only one to enter. The service hose race for $75 was won by McKees Rocks in 29¼ seconds; second money, $50, taken by Uniontown in 29 2-5; third money Turtle Creek, 31 3-5. East Pittsburgh finished in 38 2-5 and Donora in 34 4-5. The race was 200 yards and was run with full uniforms. The novice and hook and ladder races were called off on account of the late hour. The judges were: John R. Musser, Barnesboro; George S. Wier, Sharpsburg; James H. Steele, Wilkinsburg; starter, M. B. Pryce. Timers, Charles F. Engle, McKees Rocks, and W. J. Rosebrough, McKeesport. All the decisions were given out tonight and but few firemen remain in town.

LATROBE, PA., Aug. 12.—No apology or explanation has been accorded Chief Marshal Toner or the Latrobe fire department for the alleged violation of rules governing the firemen's convention at Connellsville yesterday, when the Latrobe firemen, accompanied by the Tenth regiment band, left for home without having participated in the big parade or any of the contests. Assistant Chief Sewell states that the Latrobe fire department, headed by the Tenth regiment band, was assigned to the first place in the line of parade. At the appointed time the men were in line prepared to start, but McKees Rocks fell in ahead of them. Fire Chief Coyne, of Connellsville, was notified of the situation but declined to interfere, although Latrobe, having entertained the convention of 1903, was, according to precedent, entitled to march at the head of the parade. To avoid dispute they left the ranks. Mr. Sewell also declares that on the programs McKees Rocks at the head of the line had been substituted at the last minute.

WARREN, PA., Aug. 12.—The last day of the Tenth annual convention of the Northwestern Volunteer Firemen's Association was devoted to the prize drills and hose races. The prize drill was won by the West Branch hose company of Renova. The hose race went to the Colemans of Union City in the fast time of :26 4-5. Martin's hose team of Jamestown finished second making the distance in 27 3-5 seconds, with Emerald hose of Ridgway third in 29 seconds. Fredonia, N. Y., was disqualified for unreeling its hose before reaching the scratch. The hub and hub race went to the Darkers' hose company of Fredonia, their time being 21 3-5 seconds, the Colemans of Union City finishing second in 22 1-5 seconds. Pickpockets were active. Among those who were "touched" were C. E. Metzger, a prominent merchant of Warren, and Chas. Godding, editor of the Kane Republican. According to police reports about $1,000 was taken, the thieves working at the ball grounds, carnival grounds and at the railroad station.

Railroad Foreman Killed in Wreck.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—A passenger train tonight on the South Fork K and Dunlo branch of the Pennsylvania railroad was backing from Lovett to Landfair when a herd of five cows was struck, derailing the engine and baggage car. Louis Bodenschatz, foreman of the division who was on the baggage car, was killed.

Will Study for Priesthood.

LATROBE, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Paul Campbell, of Latrobe, is among those who will receive a free scholarship in St. Vincent's college and study for the priesthood, following the examinations conducted by the board of medical examiners.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

GREENVILLE, PA.—James A. Gealey, late principal of the Elders Ridge academy, has been elected principal of the Mercer academy to succeed the Rev. R. J. McKnight.

MONESSEN, PA.—The Monessen Water Company has placed an order for a new 1,000,000-gallon open hearth steel tank. With this a new $30,000 filtering plant will be installed.

GREENSVILLE, PA.—Attorneys James F. Burke, John Marron and Homer L. Castle of the Allegheny county bar will be the speakers at the twenty-fifth annual Conneaut Lake Harvest Home, at Exposition park, Thursday, August 18.

GREENVILLE, PA.—Dr. T. B. Roth, formerly president of Thiel college, will open a preparatory school in the main building of Thiel college in September. The trustees have decided not to resume the college classes. Dr. Roth has associated with him Dr. C. B. Wakefield, pastor of the Presbyterian church.

STEUBENVILLE, O.—While 12 Hungarian workmen were laboring in the pit of an anchorage pier on the West Virginia side of the new bridge here yesterday a big slide of slate rock came off the hillside and caught them. John Muskarek was killed and several others are badly hurt.

KITTANNING, PA.—A rule to show cause why J. H. Painter should not be made an assignee in the assignment of Fred Wick of the Wick China Pottery has been granted on the Safe Deposit and Title Guaranty Company by the court. Painter was appointed at Mr. Wick's request. A legal battle is in prospect.

WANTED AT BEAVER FALLS FOR THEFT OF JEWELS

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Arrested as a suspect in the hold-up of the Diamond Special on the Illinois Central railway, James Wilson, who could not be connected with the train robbery, has been identified as a man wanted at Beaver Falls, Pa., for the theft of $5,000 worth of jewelry which he is alleged to have stolen from the residence of James Piper, a Beaver Falls merchant. Wilson was taken to Pennsylvania tonight.

HAS FRACTURED SKULL BUT DIDN'T KNOW IT

SAMUEL P. MAGEE.

NEW CATLE, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Street Commissioner Samuel P. Magee, head of the local department of highways, has just discovered that he has been suffering from a fracture of the skull for the past tow years. He has been suffering from violent and incessant headaches for several months past and finally consulted a physician, when the startling fact was learned that the skull was factured, causing the headaches. Commissioner Magee was hurt during the summer of 1902 while inspecting a huge storm sewer constructed in Lyndall street. It was large enough to permit a man to walk through and he was passing along when a brick fell from the top, striking him on the head. He was knocked down and lay insensible until found by workmen and carried to the open air, when he revived. He had a terrible headache and remained off duty a day or two, when he felt better and continued at work. Recently he suffered almost continuously from headachi and was finally driven to consult his family physician. He expects soon to go to Philadelphia for an operation upon his skull.

WOMAN IS ATTACKED BY UNKNOWN MAN

Assailant Waiting in House Knocks Her Down, and She May Die of Her Injuries.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Aug. 12.—Mrs. Harry C. Wilson was attacked early this morning by an unknown man at her home. She had just returned from a visit to her sister's home in another part of the town and was going to her room preparing to retire, when a man with his face covered by a handkerchief appeared from a corner of the room. As he came toward her he said: "Shut up, or I'll kill you." She was too frightened to call for help, but started to run to the door, when the man struck her over the head with a blunt instrument, knocking her unconscious. When she regained consciousness blood was flowing from a deep wound in her breast and three large gashes on the back of her left hand. The woman had strength enough to drag herself to her sister's home, two doors away. Dr. H. F. Atkinson was hastily summoned. The wound in her breast is a serious one and may prove fatal.

Mrs. Wilson was unable to give a good description of her assailant and the police have no clue to work upon. The assault is a mystery. It is evident there was no intent to rob, a large amount of money in a pocketbook and two gold watches on the dresser not being touched.

ADJOURNMENT TAKEN BY WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

Important Measure Affecting the Penitentiary and Other Bills Passed at the Final Session.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Aug. 12.—The special session of the legislature, after having been in session 18 days, completed the work for which it was convened and adjourned sine die at noon today. Most of the members returned to their homes. Some measures of importance which had been hanging fire were disposed of during the last hours, among them the bill relating to the West Virginia penitentiary, which was passed under a suspension of the rules. The important feature of this measure is that it provides that the guards of the penitentiary shall be charged with the duty of conveying prisoners from places of conviction to the penitentiary, thus doing away with the enormous charges for the conveyance of prisoners by the sheriffs of the county. The bills relating to the West Virginia asylum and the reform school were both passed as amended. The bill providing for a tax on deeds and other instruments admitted to record in the county clerk's office, died in conference committee.

The committees appointed yesterday by the senate for the purpose of investigating charges of jobbery in connection with the letting of the contract for furnishing the supreme court rooms, this morning reported an investigation had been made with the result that no suspicion was attached to any one and the letting of the contract had been conducted honestly and in a businesslike manner. Senator John J. Cornwell, Democratic nominee for governor, presented his resignation as a member of the senate and it was accepted. The estimated cost of the extra session to the state is said to be about $1,000 a day for the 18 days of the session.

BOOTH TUCKER WILL LEAVE THE UNITED STATES

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—It was officially announced today that in connection with the recent international congress of the Salvation Army, numerous changes of teritorial leaders have been arranged. Amongo thers, it has been decided that Commander Booth-Tucker will leave the United States about the middle of November. Arrangements are being made for him to conduct farewell meetings in the following cities: Chicago, Kansas City, St. Louis, Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Philadelphia, Boston, Buffalo, Brooklyn and New York.

THREE KILLED, THREE HURT AT CROSSING

Section of Cars Run Into Trolley Car and Trailer—Injured Will Recover.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

DEFIANCE, O., Aug. 12.—Three persons were killed and three badly injured in a trolley car wreck at the Baltimore & Ohio crossing in this city just before noon today.

THE KILLED:

MRS. HELEN REISENWETTER, Cleveland, 27 years old.
GERALD GAEDE, aged 5.
ROLLIN GAEDE, aged 3, both sons of Rev. M. Gaede, of Defiance.

THE WOUNDED:

MRS. OLGA GAEDE.
EARL BARNHART.
HAROLD FRAGHT.

The latter two are members of Company E, Sixth regiment, Ohio National Guard, of Hicksville, en route to drill at the Maumee Valley Chautauqua.

The crossing is at a curve, and the motorman did not see a section of cars backing down. The trolley car had a trailer, and both were crowded. The injured will recover.

NINETY-THREE YEARS OLD AND NEVER ON A TRAIN

Anniversary of the Birth of Mrs. Margaret Black is Celebrated in Greene County.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WAYNESBURG, PA., Aug. 12.—The ninety-third birthday anniversary of Mrs. Margaret Black was celebrated at the home of her son, William Black, in Clarksville, Greene county, today by a gathering of relatives and neighbors.

Mrs. Black, whose maiden name was Carter, was born at Greensboro, Pa., August 12, 1811, her father, John Carter, having become a settler in the Monongahela valley prior to the last century. At the age of 18 she was married to William Black, who has been dead 20 years. Her descendants include six children, four sons and two daughters, 43 grandchildren, 110 great-grandchildren and 20 great-great-grandchildren, who are scattered over Greene, Washington, Allegheny and Westmoreland counties and nearly all of whom were present today.

Mrs. Black is small of stature, but active. She has never been 50 miles away from the place of her birth and has never rode on a railway train.

GOVERNMENT TO REPLACE DESTROYED BANK NOTES

Five Thousand Dollars in Unsigned Bills Tossed Into Waste Basket by a Railroad Agent and Burned.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

BUTLER, PA., Aug. 12.—An express package containing $5,000 in unsigned bank notes was carelessly tossed into a waste basket by an express agent on the northern division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and burned, and after a month of trouble the affair has been straightened out. The package was consigned to a banking house in an oil town north of Butler.

When it did not arrive at the appointed time, the bank officials made inquiry and then the messenger recalled where he had placed the bunch of notes and what had been their fate. Explanations and proofs from the messenger and express company to the bank followed and these were followed by explanations and proofs by all three to the government. An inspector then probed the matter to the bottom and after a thorough investigation the government has consented to issue another $5,000 worth of notes with which the bank will increase its circulation.

Married in Steubenville.

STEUBENVILLE, O., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—The following received licenses and were married here: George Forgie and Ida Lawrence of Turtle Creek, Pa.; Harry A. Shute and Gertrude F. Stull, Leechburg, Pa.; Toney Malavsky and Josa Mieczowsky, Pittsburgh; Charles B. Spangler and Nellie A. Short, Blairsville, Pa.; Jacob Sokolf and Pearl Weber, Pittsburgh; Walter Jarman and Marie Roper, Pittsburgh; Frank A. Sawhill and Bertha Close, Pittsburgh; Thomas F. Gibbo and Mrs. Annie Miller, Pittsburgh; Louis V. Hunziker and Martha T. C. Matter, Pittsburgh; Clifford W. Oliver and Mamie Fisher, Allegheny; Robert Boxdale and Gwendolina Christian, Pittsburgh; Earl L. Kunkle and Margaret M. Hunter, Irwin, Pa.

More Trouble at Uniontown Hospital.

UNIONTOWN, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—There is more friction at the Uniontown hospital, where a few months ago the superintendent and all but two of the nurses resigned. Dr. J. S. Hackney and Dr. T. N. Eastman have submitted their resignations as directors. The county commissioners have held up the appropriation of $2,500, which was voted a few months ago to the hospital. Some of the hospital authorities have asked that the money be paid, while others wish to divert it to the current expense fund, and in the conflict of claims the commissioners have refused to pay the money. It is also said that the commissioners have asked for an audit of the hospital's accounts.

Bridge Destroyed by Gas Explosion.

WAYNESBURG, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Yesterday morning the large county bridge which spans the mouth of Hoovers run at Kents Mills in Wayne township, Greene county, was entirely destroyed. A compressing station is being erected by the People's Natural Gas Company and there is a junction of several gas lines. In testing the 20-inch main which carries the gas supply to Pittsburgh the pipe exploded, blowing the bridge to pieces and shaking the earth and buildings for miles around. No one was injured. The loss is about $2,000.

Dubois to Have Another Bank.

DUBOIS, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Application has been made for a charter to establish another national bank here with a capital of $100,000. The organizers are John P. Dubois, the wealthy lumberman; S. C. Bond, president of the Brockwayville bank, and H. E. Minter. An additional banking house has been talked of for two years. The present developments are regarded as a move to occupy the field more fully by local people to the exclusion of Pittsburgh capital.

Miner Murdered and Robbed.

ALTOONA, PA., Aug. 12.—Andrew Viedezilo, a miner, was robbed and murdered by highwaymen at Baker mines, near here, late last night. Viedezilo had about $250 on his person when attacked by the men. When his body was found today the money was missing. A fellow countryman who had threatened the life of Viedezilo has been arrested and placed in the Ebensburg jail.

Corry Feels Fall of Meteor.

CORRY, PA., Aug. 12.—This city plainly felt the fall of a meteor at 2 o'clock this morning. It apparently fell north of here, as the heavens were ablaze in that direction.

Reduced Rates to Boston Account National Encampment G. A. R.

Pennsylvania railroad announces sale of excursion tickets from Pittsburgh to Boston and return, on August 12 13, 14 and 15, at rate of $13.25 round trip, good until August 20, which, if deposited with joint agent at Boston and fee of 50 cents paid, will be extended until September 20. Tickets will be good to stop off at New York and Philadelphia on return trip.

SOCIETY

ALTHOUGH small and very quietly conducted, the wedding of Miss Roberta Hall, daughter of the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. William H. Hall, of Arlington avenue, Allegheny, and Samuel Fitzsimmons of the East End will be of interest to a large circle of friends of both young people. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bride's parents next Wednesday evening, August 17, the Rev. Mr. Hall officiating.

The bride will have as her maid of honor and only attendant a sister, Miss Belle Hall, while a brother of the bridegroom, James Fitzsimmons, will serve as best man. The wedding hour will be 7:30 o'clock and the guests will include only the members of the two families, less than 30 in all. After the wedding supper, which will immediately follow the ceremony, Mr. Fitzsimmons and his bride will leave for the east, where their honeymoon will be spent. At the conclusion of their trip they will be at home in Race street, East End, where they will receive their friends after September 1.

Mr. Fitzsimmons is a clerk employed at the Union station. His fiancee is the eldest daughter of the Rev. Mr. Hall, who is pastor of the Arch Street Methodist Episcopal church in Allegheny, and has recently been called to take charge of the Butler street church in this city. He has, however, not yet accepted the call.

Interest in the Engagement.

A great deal of interest was taken yesterday in the announcement of the engagement of Miss Phyllis Pringle Hughman, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay Hughman, and William White, Jr., which was made exclusively yesterday in The Gazette. Miss Hughman was educated at the Chestnut Hill school in Philadelphia, and though very popular in society, has continued her art studies since her school days, spending one winter in Paris and one in New York, studying under MacAyles, Chase and other masters.

Mr. White is a member of an old Western Pennsylvania family, being a son of the late Rev. Dr. William White of Butler, who was for over 50 years rector of the Episcopal congregation in that city and vicinity, and who celebrated his golden jubilee as such in 1887, a few years before his death. The memory of Dr. White, and of his wife, who was a member of the well known Bryan family of Butler, is still green in the hearts of the older generation of this section. A brother of Dr. White, and an uncle, therefore, of William White, Jr., was the late George A. White of Pittsburgh, the leading dry goods merchant of his day in this city, and one of its most public-spirited and philanthropic citizens. William White, Jr., is the well known consulting engineer of that city, and was educated at Lehigh university and the Columbia School of Mines. He has been for some years consulting engineer of the Compania Fundidora de Fierro y Acero de Monterey, whose $10,000,000 steel plant at Monterey, Mexico, was planned and erected by him. He was assistant superintendent of the Edgar Thomson steel works, under the late William R. Jones, and in all matters of mining and metallurgy ranks as a high authority. He is a member of the Pittsburgh and Country clubs of this city, and the Engineers' club of New York, and resides at the Hotel Schenley.

License Granted for Home for Babies.

Mayor Hays yesterday issued a license, the first of the kind in Pittsburgh, for the establishment of a home for babies in this city. It was granted to the managers of the Pittsburgh Home for Babies, who have furnished a home in Center avenue and Juniata street, Thirteenth ward, for that purpose. The papers granted by the mayor are merely to give the managers the right to operate the home pending the granting of a charter by the state, which has already been applied for.

The home is a non-sectarian institution founded for the purpose of caring for homeless and deserted infants under three years of age and keeping them for a period of a year or over. It is a benevolent project to be carried on largely through charity.

A hundred prominent Pittsburgh women are behind the benevolent project. Mrs. W. G. Bishop is president of the board of managers; Mrs. A. M. Wilson, first vice president; Mrs. H. Finkelpearl, secretary, and Mrs. Mary H. Pickering, treasurer. The incorporators include Mrs. J. E. Wrhrie, Mrs. R. P. McChesney, Mrs. W. G. Bishop, Mrs. Arthur De Davis, Mrs. W. D. Verder, Mrs. Moses Pickering, Mrs. Robert McCoy, Mrs. F. G. Ralph, Mrs. H. Finkelpearl, Mrs. A. M. Wilson, Mrs. Jonathan A. Perley, Mrs. Henry H. Pickering.

The home is licensed by the mayor under the act of 1885, which gives the mayors of cities or the magistrates or justices of the peace in the immediate vicinity in which it is proposed to found a home for infants the power to grant said license. The one issued today to the Pittsburgh Home for Babies is the first ever issued in the city of Pittsburgh. The law requires that a fee of $1 be paid for such a license, the same to be turned over to the county treasurer. The fee was paid by Mrs. Mary H. Pickering yesterday morning.

Thomas-Reed.

Mrs. Anna M. Thomas of Center avenue and Dr. William L. Reed of Branch, Pa., were married at the home of the bride last evening. The wedding was a pretty affair, attended by intimate friends of the contracting parties. The marriage was solemnized by the Rev. Nathan L. Brown, pastor of Centenary M. E. church. The bride is related to the Seymours and several other prominent New York families and the groom is prominent in the medical profession and in the politics of Westmoreland and Indiana counties. The ceremony was followed by a dainty repast and reception, after which the bridal couple left for an extended tour of the east and will visit the St. Louis exposition.

Visiting Her Fiance's Family.

Miss Anna Hamilton, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Hamilton of McPherson boulevard, returned a few days ago from Cleveland, where she had been the guest of Mrs. Howard Rust, the sister of C. Willard Gibbs of Sewickley to whom Miss Hamilton will be married late in October. During her absence Miss Hamilton also visited Mr. Gibbs' mother at her home in the outskirts of Cleveland.

Miss Hamilton's sister, Miss Elinore Hamilton expects to leave in a few days for Grayton Plains, Mich., where she will be the house guest of friends from Columbus, O.

Autumn Bride-Elect in Chicago.

Miss Lillian P. Campbell of Wilkinsburg, whose wedding to John A. Graff of this city will be one of the autumn, is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Somerville in Chicago. Miss Campbell is not expected home until early next month. Her engagement to Mr. Graff was announced last spring at a luncheon which she gave at the Union club. Mr. Graff is a son of E. A. Graff of Chicago, formerly of Allegheny. His prospective bride is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Coffin of Howe street, East End, who will leave next week for a short visit at Haddon Hall, Atlantic City.

Mrs. Horne in Provincetown.

Mrs. Durbin Horne is spending the hot months in Provincetown, Mass. Mr. Horne stayed during the early part of the summer with his wife but has now returned to town. Mr. and Mrs. Bernard S. Horne have been making short trips to and from town all through the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bernard Shea expect to leave the city soon, but have not decided as yet where they will go.

Children Sent to the Country.

Under the care of Miss E. Baynes 25 children were sent yesterday morning for a two weeks' outing at Fair Oaks by the Woods Run Industrial Home association. The party was to have included 50 children, but the breaking out of scarlet fever made a change in the plans necessary.

Luncheon for Mrs. Loney.

Mrs. J. B. Booth of Edgeworth entertained yesterday afternoon at luncheon in honor of Mrs. John Loney of Duluth, Wis., who is the house guest of Mrs. Charles Umbstaetter of Shields. Covers were laid for 12.

Home from the East.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Merrill Wright have returned from New York, Spring Lake and Sea Bright. Having rented their summer home at Lakewood-on-Chautauqua for this season they are spending their time at home, but later will take an extended trip.

Notes of Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Bigger of Edgewood park are house guests of Dr. and Mrs. Walter P. Sandenberg at their cottage at Lake George, N. Y.

Miss Estelle Ryan of McPherson boulevard, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Moore, of Orillia, Canada, left on Tuesday for St. Louis. The Misses Pemberton of Allentown returned yesterday from a two weeks' visit to Greenville, Pa., having gone with the Elite club of this city.

BISHOP PRAISES PRESIDENT.

Hartzell Calls Him "The Magnificent." Declares Russia Deserves Thrashing the Nation Is Receiving.

GROVE CITY, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Bishop J. C. Hartzell of Africa, delivered a strong address at the Grove City Bible school today upon "The Benighted Continent and Race," during which he declared that all nations had robbed Africa and that country has become one of the strongest factors in the world's progress. He paid a tribute to President Roosevelt, whim he termed "the magnificent." Of Russia he said that country deserved just what it is receiving, a thrashing. He eulogized Cecil Rhodes of whim he said his great ambitions were to advance civilization and unify the English-speaking nations, while he held that Paul Kruger was narrow minded and selfish. Other addresses made today besides the regular course lectures, were one on "The Person of Christ," by President Patton of Princeton, and one on "Teaching Power," by the Rev. Dr. F. L. Dager of Philadelphia.

This evening a sacred concert under the direction of Dr. H. Ray Palmer of New York, was given.

WILL TRY TO UNITE BRANCHES OF QUAKERS

TORONTO, ONT., Aug. 12.—The general conference of the Society of Friends opened here today. It is a representative gathering of the progressive Friends and Hicksites of North America. At this meeting an attempt will be made to bring together the old orthodox body of Friends and Hicksites. Rev. Rufus M. Jones of Haverford college, who is of the orthodox, is present, and will take part in the proceedings. Herbert T. Worth of West Chester, Pa., was chosen chairman.

CHAUTAUQUA

CHAUTAUQUA, N. Y., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Dr. Wilbur Chapman is ably sustaining his reputation for power to attract and hold large audiences. His last address was given this morning, when he conducted the devotional hour and chose as his text, "And They Sung a New Song." He said, in part:

"In all the history of God's chosen people of Israel, in times of depression they sang mournfully and sad. In times of victory they burst into joyful music. In the history of the king of Israel he was always singing. Like the leader of a mighty orchestra he bursts forth into song of praise. The new testament is ushered by a burst of music. Music is essential to the worship of God. The book of Revelations, so little read and so little understood, is the book of new things and the theme of the song in it is redemption. A new theme made possible by the sacrifice of Jesus. It is because of this sacrifice which redeems us that we sing a new song; nothing else would do."

Prof. S. C. Schmucker received his usual hearty greeting from a large audience this afternoon. In his lecture on "Sunset," he gave delightful word pictures of sunset skies and did not detract from their beauty when he afterwards explained the scientific causes of the various colors which make up the gorgeous beauty of the skies at the close of day. He said:

"Of course, we all know that our earth is not the center of the universe. We understand that, but we are not convinced. We cannot realize that our 'land of the free and the home of the brave' is not the pivotal point. So we say that the sun rises in the east and sets in the west. We know that sunrise is only the time when our part of the earth gets its first glimpse of the sun and our sunset is our last view. When the sunset comes what a perfectly magnificent thing it is. And how few of us appreciate its glories. With sunset comes a different feeling from any we have had during the day. We are tired from the work and battles of the day. Tired in body and mind. We want rest and look for peace and gradually sunset has come to mean peace."

Dr. W. R. Forbush gave an interesting lecture on "Unique Schools and Schoolmasters," and kept his audience in merry mood by his many humorous sketches and anecdotes.

Excursions from the various points on the lake were run to Chautauqua in the evening and a magnificent audience enjoyed the presentation of the oratorio, "The Messiah." The soloists were Mrs. Beatrice Hubbel Plummer, Miss Agnes Reifsnyder, Mrs. Edward Douglass and William Harper. A choir of 200 voices reflected great credit upon Alfred Hallam, the conductor. The performance was the greatest musical event of the season.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

George A. Riley	Allegheny
May Walter	Freeport
John Jordan	Allegheny
Aura Kline	Canton, O.
Lawson B. Mellott	Pittsburgh
Elizabeth S. Flowers	Pittsburgh
Petrus Davids	Sandusky, O.
Louise Kopp	McDonald
John P. Gehringer	Allegheny
Anna M. Laurent	Allegheny
William P. Hermes	Allegheny
Ida Kaufman	Allegheny
Joseph D. Hathaway	Brackenridge
Anna B. Gilson	Leechburg
Michael Magiste	Pittsburgh
Louise Sonnatl	Allegheny

To Make a Bride

Many a woman would make a beautiful bride but she is deterred from entering the married state because of ill-health.

$500 REWARD FOR WOMEN

WHO CANNOT BE CURED.

The proprietors and makers of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription now feel fully warranted in offering to pay $500 in legal money of the United States, for any case of Leucorrhea, Female Weakness, Prolapsus, or Falling of Womb which they cannot cure. All they ask is a fair and reasonable trial of their means of cure.

"If women would study the laws of health and use a little more common sense there would not be such a large number to-day suffering with the ills peculiar to our sex," writes Mrs. Sallie Martins (President Mutual Social Science Club), of 180 South Halstead Street, Chicago, Ill. "Then when medicine is needed if they would take the 'Favorite Prescription,' they would have a chance to get well. I used Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription three years ago and it cured me of female weakness of several years' standing, so I know what I am talking about when I praise it and always know what the result will be when it is used."

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superb color-plates
Colored Fashion Plates, if well executed, mean more to the woman who is thinking about gowns than anything else she can find in her favorite magazine.
The Delineator used to contain them. For nearly a year past they have been omitted—simply because we couldn't make them good enough to match the rest of the magazine; not that they weren't better than the others published in this country.
Now that we are in our new building with our new presses we are publishing colored plates that are colored plates, nearly equal to the French—not quite—but we've six huge French presses on the way, and soon we will have their product to give you, which will be as much better than ours of this month, as ours are better than the others painted in America.
We are not apologizing for what we offer you this month—the quality is too good to need it. We are simply promising even better, pretty soon.
The month's fashions are full of promise of the Fall fascinations. Everything that the exclusive woman wants, as well as the dependable modes that avoid the extremes. Much, too, for the children and their older sisters.
No series of beauty articles has ever been received with so much deserved favor as Dr. Grace Peckham Murray's "Fountain of Youth," which this month deals with simple, rational exercise for the symmetry of the body—exercises which any woman may practise with safety, and with certainty of satisfactory results.
In the series of "Famous Pioneer Women," this month tells of Rebecca Williams,

PLENTY OF MONEY TO COMPLETE LINE

Funds Are Provided for Extension of the Wabash to Tidewater.

DERIVED FROM BOND ISSUE

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BALTIMORE, Aug. 12.—The Western Maryland Railroad Company has about $18,000,000 more to spend in the completion of its plans. For the Baltimore terminals and the expenditure on the present line of the company there is set aside $4,300,000 more. Beside this there is over $18,000,000 for construction and extensions. This sum will likely be applied to the construction of the Pittsburgh extension.

This money is derived from the $50,000,000 first mortgage bond issue authorized by the company. The bonds outstanding under this mortgage on May 31, 1904, amounted to $27,081,000, the proceeds of which were used as follows: Purchase of Western Maryland and West Virginia Central, $20,500,000; equipment, $1,000,000; Cumberland cut-off, $3,500,000; terminals at Baltimore, $1,266,000; improvement and development, $1,815,000; total, $27,081,000.

The remainder of the $50,000,000 issue is to be used as follows: Baltimore terminals, $1,733,000; West Virginia Central underlying bonds, $4,000,000; Western Maryland, $2,581,300; construction, extension, etc., $13,705,700; total, $22,919,000.

These figures show that the financial plan of the company liberally provides for the construction work which is to be done before the plans of Gould interests to reach Baltimore with the Wabash railroad are realized.

The showing of the Western Maryland railroad during the fiscal year, ended June 30, 1904, makes what is regarded as a satisfactory exhibit, despite the fact that the preceding year, with which comparison is made, enjoyed phenomenal prices for coal. After deducting fixed charges the company shows a surplus equivalent to nearly 7 per cent on an authorized capital stock of $60,000,000.

TO UNIONIZE TAILORS.

An Effort Being Made to Strengthen the Organization—Rally Meeting Called.

The local organization of the Journeymen Tailors' Union of America is to be made the most effective union in the district. With this end in view, William Hartman, vice president and general organizer, with headquarters in Bloomington, Ill., has been deputized to Pittsburgh to arouse interest in the association.

A special meeting will be held next Monday evening in the German Beneficial

WILLIAM HARTMAN.
Vice President and General Organizer of the Journeyman Tailors' Union.

Union hall, Sixth avenue, at which prominent speakers will be present. An invitation has been sent to all men employed in tailoring to be present. The meeting will be in the form of a smoker and a light lunch will be served. The local organization has a membership of about 150 and about 200 are employed in that business in this district.

The national organization has about 15,000 members, made up exclusively of custom tailors. John B. Lennon, secretary-treasurer, has always considered Pittsburgh a prosperous town for tailors, and he is anxious that every man be unionized.

The rank and file of the organization are now voting on the question whether or not a convention be held next February. A convention, the delegates of which represent 15,000 workmen, is very expensive, and the executive officials decided to allow members to determine the matter. Mr. Hartman will remain in Pitsburgh several days.

STEWART-WELCH DEADLOCK STILL REMAINS UNBROKEN

HARRISBURG, Aug. 12.—Three fruitless ballots were taken at today's session of the Republican senatorial conferees of the Franklin-Huntingdon district, after which the conference adjourned to meet here again August 26. On every ballot the Franklin conferees voted for Alexander Stewart, and the Huntingdon conferees voted for Allen S. Welch. Mr. Welch suggested that the contest be referred to the Republican state committee at its annual meeting in September. The Franklin conferees agreed to give their answer at the next meeting of the conference.

Ainslee's for September.

Ainslee's for September continues the steady progress in quality which is a remarkable feature of this magazine during the current year. A new departure is the beginning of a serial, and the publishers have been fortunate in inaugurating this novelty in having a story by Agnes and Egerton Castle, which has all of the characteristic charm of these delightful writers. It is called "The Heart of Lady Anne." The complete novelette this month, however, is not sacrificed. The one for this month is "Her Brother's Traitor," by Caroline Duer. The magazine also shows its determination to keep abreast of the times by offering to its readers a new story by Margaret Sutton Briscoe, entitled "Philanderings," the character of which is such as to make it a feature.

The fourth of the series on social life in American cities is as interesting as its predecessors. It is "The Social Side of Philadelphia." (Ainslee Magazine Company, New York. 15 cents.)

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Niagara Falls Excursion Via P. & L. E. Each Tuesday $7.45 Round Trip $7.45. $8.20 Toronto and Return $8.99.

Trains leave Pittsburgh & Lake Erie station 9:30 a. m., 6:00 p. m. and 11:30 p. m., city time. Through day coaches and sleepers, parlor car on morning train. Ticket good 15 days.

$13.25 to Boston and Return Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad. Account G. A. R. Encampment.

Tickets on sale August 12, 13, 14 and 15, good until August 20, with extension of limit until September 30, upon payment of 50 cents additional. Stop-overs, returning, at New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

LEGISLATURE TO PASS MINING LAW

United Mine Workers Will Demand Better Protection for Small Pits.

NEW BILL IS BEING DRAFTED

The local mine officials of the United Mine Workers are having a bill prepared, to be presented at the next session of the state legislature, having for its purpose the improvement of the state mining laws. The principal intention of the bill is to compel every mine operator to have properly certified experts in charge of the mines. Should the bill pass, no mine, no matter how small, will not be permitted to operate unless inspected daily by persons who have passed an examination as to their ability to detect all danger to the underground workmen.

At present the law only calls for an expert for mines where there are more than nine men at work. The intention of the local United Mine Workers is to have a law passed that will compel every coal operator to have his mine inspected, no matter whether one or 1,000 men are employed. They contend that an operator employing 1,000 men should not be compelled to spend money to insure the safe operation of the mine, while an operator only employing a dozen men be allowed to run without proper safeguards.

In this district there are at least 20 mines where the services of pithosses, mine foremen, fire bosses or superintendents are not required. The owner of the mine engages the men and they work to suit themselves, regardless of the danger to their fellow employes, and in many instances incompetent miners, who cannot detect gases or afterdamps, are allowed to dig the coal.

The cost to insure the safety of the mines averages 2 cents for every ton of coal mined. The small pits, as a consequence, can undersell the coal operator doing business on a large scale. The 20 small coal mines in this district are working full time, and the reason is principally because they do not have to conform to the state laws requiring the installing of furnaces, fans and other apparatus for removing foul air and gases.

CHURCH WILL CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY TOMORROW

Braddock Congregation 18 Years Old. Wesley Chapel Is to Reopen—Address in Deaf-Mute Language.

The eighteenth anniversary of the organization of the First English Lutheran church, Braddock, will be celebrated by the congregation tomorrow. The Rev. W. J. Bucher has been pastor six years. Special services will be held morning, afternoon and evening.

Churches of Homewood will hold a union service on Brushton hill, near Brushton avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Platform addresses will be made by neighboring clergymen.

The reopening of Wesley chapel, North Braddock, will be celebrated tomorrow by an "old-fashioned Methodist love feast." Short addresses will be delivered during the afternoon by visiting clergymen and members of the congregation. The chapel has been closed for repairs for several months.

The Rev. Austin W. Mann, in charge of the missionary work among deaf mutes in the mid-western diocese of the Episcopal church, will address mutes in the sign language in the chapel of Trinity church, Sixth avenue, tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Samuel S. Miller will tell how she originated South Side Recreation park in the Washington Avenue Methodist Episcopal church tomorrow morning. Mrs. Miller will feature her talk by exhibiting many articles made by the children.

The Rev. J. H. A. Kiltzmiller of Pittsburgh will speak in the First English Lutheran Evangelical church, Grant street, tomorrow in the absence of the pastor, the Rev. Dr. D. H. Geissinger. After the services the church will be closed for two weeks for repairs.

CONSUMER DID NOT WORK.

Allegheny General Hospital Will Throw Out Device Now Being Tried.

Ordinance Officer Pennwell of the North Side has notified the Allegheny General hospital that that institution must comply with the city ordinance prohibiting the issuance of dense smoke from chimneys.

Since the erection of the new hospital its officers have been using a smoke consumer which works very badly, and the residents of the neighborhood have been complaining vigorously to the building inspector regarding the dense smoke and soot emitted.

Superintendent E. H. Bechtal of the hospital yesterday notified Mr. Pennwell that the board of managers of the hospital has decided to throw out the smoke consumer being tried, and will install stokers in its place. A meeting of the board will be held next week at which the matter will be settled.

PURE MILK SOLD HERE.

Of 400 Samples Bought from City Dairymen 8 Found Impure.

James Foust, division agent for the pure food department in charge of Western Pennsylvania, returned from Altoona yesterday after conducting a milk crusade throughout his territory. The purest milk seems to be sold in Pittsburgh. Of the 400 samples bought of dairymen in this city there were only eight found to contain drugs. Of 300 samples bought of dairymen in Allegheny 75 were found to contain formaldehyde.

In McKeesport out of 54 samples only 3 were drugged; Homestead, out of 20 samples 6; Carnegie, out of 12 samples 2; Duquesne, out of 14 samples 6; Braddock, of 15 samples, 2; Wilmerding, of 15 samples 4; Turtle Creek, of 5 samples 1; Pitcairn, of 8 samples 2.

OUTFIT FOR COUNTERFEITING FOUND IN DOCTOR'S HOUSE

BOSTON, Aug. 12.—Over $10,200 in counterfeit $2 bills were found today by secret service agents in the house of Dr. Frank G. Sanft, a prominent Roxbury physician, after Sanft had been arrested by the city police on a charge of having passed a bogus bill upon a street fruit vender. A complete outfit for manufacturing spurious bank notes was also found. Sanft has lived in Roxbury for 17 years, and has a wife and two daughters. His family has been socially prominent in Boston and along the South shore, where they had a summer home.

KINGSLEY HOUSE FORUM ARE TO ENTERTAIN

The Kingsley House Forum club is spending August at Valencia and is preparing to entertain a number of visitors tomorrow. A hospitable time is included in the entertainment which will be provided is a hay ride. The boys of the club are staying at a farm house a couple of miles from Lillian home, and Sol Leff, John Frankel and Joseph Levi are the committee who will look after the guests tomorrow.

Pennsylvania Lines Excursions to Lake Resorts Saturdays and Sundays

from Pittsburgh and Allegheny. Round-trip tickets, good returning until Monday: Conneaut Lake, $2.50; Erie, $3.00; Ashtabula, $2.50; North East, $3.25. Get details at Pennsylvania Lines' Ticket Offices.

Excursion to Wheeling Every Sunday Via Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

Special train leaves station, corner of Smithfield and Water streets, 8:40 a. m.; returning leaves Wheeling 5:40 p. m. Fare, $1.50 round trip.

Fresh Every Day.

You can have Reymer's fresh every day, no matter where you are. No other candy quite so good. Sent anywhere by mail. Reymer's, 243 Fifth avenue.

WANTED.

Always be sure to mention that you saw this adv. in The Gazette.

Agents.

WILL pay about 50 cents cash on dollar; entire stocks shoes, drygoods, carpets. Address C. E. Schmitz, Connellsville, Pa.

Male Help.

ACTIVE young man, travel; experience unnecessary, $17 weekly; expenses. Guarantee Agency, 205 Federal st., Allegheny.

EARN $50 to $100 monthly corresponding for newspapers; $5 a column for work in spare time; no canvassing. Send for particulars. Northern Press Syndicate, Lockport, N. Y.

LEARN telegraphy; either sex; $25 for full course; railroad and commercial telegraphy. Morse Telegraph College, 120 Sixth street.

MEN for the U. S. marine corps—Ablebodied unmarried men between 21 and 35, good character; must speak, read and write English; marines serve at sea on men-of-war in all parts of the world, in land in our island possessions and at naval stations in the United States. Apply recruiting officer, room 414, Postoffice building, city.

SALESMAN—In all towns to sell teas, coffees, and specialties direct to the consumer. Continental Tea and Coffee Company, 914 Federal street, Allegheny, Pa.

SALESMAN of ability and experience to take charge of established business with headquarters at Wheeling. Address with references and give full particulars as to qualifications, C 134, The Gazette.

TWO experienced canvassers; special inducements to good men. J. A. Elliott, 448 Liberty avenue, city.

WANTED—Every physician in town to try CHICLETS for himself.

Female Help.

GIRL—For general housework; small family. Apply 6022 Penn ave.

WAITRESS—Experienced; good wages; call Saturday, Cottage Cafe, 207 Atwood street.

WANTED—Six girls to sew draperies; none but those having experience need apply. The Grostzinger Carpet Co.

WANTED—Two first-class fitters for lady's suits, coats, skirts, etc. Apply at once. Rosenbaum Company.

WANTED—Woman demonstrator and house-to-house canvassers for an invalid's food; only experienced people wanted. The Lenz Co., 528 Third ave.

WANTED—Two experienced saleslad1es for ladies' and children's shoe dept; good opportunity for right party. Apply at The Famous, Braddock, Pa.

WANTED—Every mother in town to try CHICLETS before giving them to the children.

WOMAN—Wanted, a discreet, shrewd woman (widow preferred), to do detective work; must invest $500 in stock of a corporation. Rare opportunity for the right party. Address M 143, The Gazette.

WOMEN—To sell 10 lbs. baking powder; with each pound a pitcher and six glasses, and get a decorated 44-piece tea set, or cash commission; we pay freight; no money required; catalogue free. Charles S. Horner Co., 1451 Penn ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Situations—Male.

EXPERIENCED bookkeeper and office man, desires position; reference and bond. Address B 134, The Gazette.

Farms.

WANTED—Good farm to work on shares or monthly salary, where everything is furnished. Experienced in general farming and poultry raising. Address Robt. J. Bell, Coraopolis, Pa.

WANTED—Farm, to rent or lease, small farm, convenient to railroad, suitable for poultry farm. Give full particulars and price. Address M 105, The Gazette.

WANTED—Farm about 3 to 10 acres. McGhie, 312 Fourth ave.

Business Opportunities.

WE have a cash customer for a good hardware store near the city; one invoicing about $5,000 preferred.
MILLER & HOWARD, 431 Fourth ave.

Oil Production.

WANTED—To buy from owner for cash, good settled oil production. Address, stating particulars, Lock Box 1396, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mortgages.

WANTED—Good mortgages; have plenty of money; bring deed; no delay.
ROSS WHITE,
212-213 Ferguson bldg.,
320 Fourth ave.

WANT mortgages. 502 Park building.

Miscellaneous.

WE buy second hand gas engines. W. E. NICKUM, 205 Federal st., Allegheny.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial job printer, 3521 Butler st. Both telephones.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

Always be sure to mention that you saw this adv. in The Gazette.

City and Suburban.

BEDFORD AVE., 2064—One well lighted room to let.

BROWNSVILLE AVE., 168—Furnished housekeeping rooms, $2.50 up, 7 minutes to Smithfield st.

BROWNSVILLE AVE., 172, S. S., Pittsburgh—Furnished room for light housekeeping.

CENTER AVE., 4635, between Neville and Craig—Three finely furnished, large, airy, second-floor rooms, single or en suite.

CENTER AVE., 2016—Back parlor for doctor or dentist; also other room; all conveniences.

DE SOTO ST., 6—Between Oakland and Atwood, nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences.

DE SOTO ST., 36—Opposite Oakland car barns. Boarding by the meal, day or week.

FIFTH AVE., 2035—Furnished room, board optional, one or two gentlemen. Jumonville apartments J.

FIFTH AVE., 1382—FURNISHED ROOMS.

FIFTH AVE., 3519—The Lothrop, elegantly furnished rooms, first-class board; shaded porches; all conveniences.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, bath, complete for light housekeeping. Snap for couple. Terms moderate; 10 minutes from postoffice. Address K 133, The Gazette.

FISK ST., 222, Lawrenceville—Furnished large front room, two gentlemen or couple; all conveniences.

FISK ST., 218, Lawrenceville—Nicely furnished room, in private family; all conveniences.

FIRST ST., 211—Aspinwall; two furnished rooms; bath; gases; gentlemen preferred; board convenient.

MADISON AVE., 3323—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping, second and third floors; all conveniences; near Bedford cars.

MAGEE ST., 81—A swell furnished front room, third floor, for two gentlemen, with separate beds and bath; private family, for $2 week each.

MIFFLIN AVE., 352, Wilkinsburg—Nicely furnished rooms, private family, moderate prices; every convenience.

NORTH ST. CLAIR ST., 424—Two large front and one smaller furnished room.

OAKLAND AVE., 334—Elegantly furnished rooms, all conveniences; private family.

PENN AVE., 746, Wilkinsburg—Neatly furnished rooms, conveniences, on car line, near depot. Meyer.

PENN AVE., 311, Wilkinsburg—Two well-furnished rooms, one alcove; desirable location.

PRINCETON PLACE, 385—Nicely furnished rooms, near East Liberty station and all car lines.

ROBINSON ST., 11, Oakland—A large front room, first floor, for doctor or dentist.

SCOTT PLACE, 12, between Sixth and Seventh st.—Furnished rooms.

SECOND AVE., 4827—Hazlewood—Two neatly furnished rooms, every convenience, near station.

SOUTH AVE., 1027, Wilkinsburg—Two neatly furnished second floor rooms, every convenience.

SOUTH AVE., 1176—Wilkinsburg—Three large unfurnished rooms, use of laundry, bath; $15 month.

SOUTHERN AVE., 68, Mt. Washington—Front room, nicely furnished; both gases, rent reasonable.

SOUTHERN AVE., 52, Mt. Washington—Two large front and back rooms for light housekeeping.

SYCAMORE ST., 134, Mt. Washington—Nicely furnished room, conveniences; rent $10 per month; board optional.

TIOGA ST., 7714—Large nicely furnished alcove room, all conveniences; on car line.

WARD ST., 3414, Oakland—Parlor bedroom for a woman or gentlemen furnished; all conveniences.

WARD ST., 3409—Furnished large front room; second floor; all conveniences; no other rooms.

WYOMING ST., 42, Mt. Washington—Large front room, alcove bedrooms attached; lawn, porches, modern house; six minutes from postoffice; board if desired.

East End.

AMBER ST., corner Friendship ave., attractively furnished, double or single, second floor front; excellent board; instantaneous heater; very choicest neighborhood; rates reasonable. Center and Negley cars. P. & A. 'Phone 1161-X.

ATWOOD ST., 237—Large nicely furnished front room with all conveniences; gentlemen preferred.

ATWOOD ST., 427—Nicely furnished rooms; 'phone; all conveniences; shady porch; near boarding.

ATWOOD ST., 351—Suite of two newly furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences; also single room.

CAROLINA ST., 848, Oakland—Two furnished front rooms for light housekeeping; every convenience.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

East End.

COLLEGE AVE., 620—Three large, neatly furnished rooms, every convenience; refined gentlemen only.

COLLINS AVE., 241—Furnished rooms; also light housekeeping rooms; gas and bath.

ELSINORE SQUARE, 3223—Three neatly furnished rooms, single or en suite; desirable location.

EAST END AVE., 400—Two nicely furnished rooms, single or en suite; all conveniences.

EMERSON ST., 242—Three furnished rooms, single or en suite; board if desired.

FINANCE ST., 7232, Homewood—Big furnished front room for rent; 2 minutes from Homewood depot and street car lines.

FORBES ST., 4626, near Craig—Large well furnished rooms with all conveniences. Private family.

HALKETT ST., 227—Furnished second floor front room, bath, all conveniences. Schenley 993 R.

HAMILTON AVE., 6905—Furnished front large alcove room; all conveniences; five minutes from Fifth ave. station; private family.

HAYES ST., 5805—Two large furnished front rooms; every convenience; desirable location.

HOWE ST., 5504—Three nicely furnished rooms; first-class boarding; best location.

KENNETT SQ., 3001—One room, furnished, for light housekeeping; 2d floor.

KENTUCKY AVE., 5818—Newly furnished room; two beds; suitable for gentlemen; refined neighborhood.

KENTUCKY AVE., 6309—One or two well furnished rooms; pleasant location.

LANG AVE., 1412, Homewood—Two nicely furnished housekeeping rooms; bath, gases; all conveniences.

LIBERTY AVE., 5117—Nicely furnished rooms for 1 or 2 gentlemen; 'phone 2702 R Highland.

LOWELL ST., 528—Three large light unfurnished rooms; modern house; desirable location.

MARCHAND ST., 6347, East End—Elegantly furnished rooms, suitable for two gentlemen or man and wife; all conveniences.

MARCHAND ST., 6345—Large, cool rooms, lawn, porches, with breakfast and six o'clock dinner.

MAYFLOWER ST., 154—Large, light, nicely-furnished room; all conveniences; gentleman only.

MELLON ST., 520, near Margaretta—Large furnished or unfurnished front room; reasonable rates.

NEGLEY AVE., 132, North—Nice large, airy furnished rooms; every convenience.

NIAGARA ST., 3117, OAKLAND—Large neatly furnished room; all conveniences; private family.

NORTH HIGHLAND AVE., 7, HIGHLAND Place—Furnished rooms; housekeeping, clean, airy; fine view.

OAKLAND AVE., 482—Large, nicely furnished room with all conveniences. Bell 'phone 323-L Schenley.

PENN AVE., 5862—Extra large neatly furnished room, most convenient location in city.

PORTLAND ST., 814—Three unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; private family; no children.

SHADY AVE., 278—Large front room, furnished; suitable for two gentlemen; all conveniences.

SHADY AVE., 271—Well furnished rooms; first and second floors.

ST. CLAIR ST., 311, North—Large front alcove room; also lady room-mate wanted.

SHADY AVE., 272—Large well furnished rooms; second and third floors; all conveniences; good location; convenient to cars and East Liberty station.

SHERIDAN AVE., 810, East End—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; reasonable rates.

TUSTIN ST., 1706—One large furnished and one unfurnished room; convenient to cars.

Allegheny.

ALPINE ST., 15—Neatly furnished front room; all conveniences; gentlemen preferred.

BEECH AVE., 841—Elegantly furnished second floor front room, every convenience; also small room; board if desired.

BROADWAY, 217, Perrysville district—Three unfurnished rooms, on first floor; all conveniences, two gases, with separate meter; hot and cold water, separate bath and closet. Rent reasonable; no children; possession given at once. Call quick. Sarah O'Neil.

BUENA VISTA ST., 1306—Light desirable furnished room; all conveniences; near parks.

BUENA VISTA ST., 1730—Two rooms, complete for housekeeping; cheap to right party.

FEDERAL ST., 1312—Very desirable furnished rooms; all conveniences; gentlemen preferred.

FEDERAL ST., 1330—Very desirable furnished rooms; all conveniences; centrally located.

GRANT AVE., 1014—Furnished front room with board; conveniences; 'phone; three gentlemen, $5 week.

GRANT AVE., 1015—Neatly furnished rooms, housekeeping; all conveniences; reasonable rates.

KIRKPATRICK ST., 1018—Three nicely furnished rooms; bath, gases; private family; no children.

LOCUST ST., 1403—Neatly furnished rooms, housekeeping or roomers; rent reasonable; conveniences.

NORTH AVE., W., 412—Neatly furnished rooms; bath, gases, 'phone; reasonable rates.

NORTH AVE., W. 827—Neatly furnished second floor front room; conveniences; $2 50 week.

PARK VIEW HOTEL, 925 Federal st.—Nicely furnished rooms facing park; all conveniences.

PARK WAY, W., 15—Neatly furnished rooms, all conveniences; opposite B. & B.

PALO ALTO ST., 1206—Near park; neatly furnished room for two gentlemen; conveniences.

PALO ALTO ST., 1212—Single rooms with good board; also meal tickets.

PENNSYLVANIA AVE., 1403—Nicely furnished rooms with board; all conveniences; also boarders wanted.

RACE ST., 1215, Allegheny—Nicely furnished rooms; modern conveniences.

SHEFFIELD ST., 1434—Two rooms, furnished complete for light housekeeping; bath, gases; 'phone; $4 week.

UNION AVE., 509—Connecting rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences.

UNION AVE., 709—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences; overlooking park.

ROOMS AND BOARD.

City and Suburban.

BEDFORD AVE., 1913—Large furnished front room, boarding; all conveniences; gentlemen; near incline.

ROSS AVE., 738, Wilkinsburg—Neatly furnished desirable rooms, reasonable; boarding optional; near station.

East End.

ALDER ST., 5901, cor. College—Furnished rooms, excellent board; mealers wanted; 1883 line to Highland.

BENNETT ST., 7711—Large, cool, neatly-furnished room; every convenience; boarding if desired.

BOARDING AND ROOMS—Private family, will rent several large home-like rooms (with board) to gentlemen. Point Breeze district. Address G 135, The Gazette.

HOWE ST., 5507—Nicely furnished rooms, with all conveniences; suitable for two; excellent board; fine location; rates very reasonable; private family.

HOWE ST., 5595—Large, well furnished second-story front rooms; excellent table board; convenient to cars and Roup station.

LINCOLN AVE., 631—Furnished room and boarding in private family; all conveniences.

NEGLEY AVE., 827 S.—Two well furnished rooms with excellent table board; gentlemen only.

NEGLEY AVE., 731, South—Nicely furnished room for two, bath adjoining; private family; reasonable.

NORTH ST. CLAIR ST., 315—Neatly furnished rooms, good boarding; near all cars.

NEVILLE ST., 531—Large, nicely furnished room, suitable for two gentlemen or married couple.

OAKLAND AVE., 240—Large, nicely furnished room, with or without board. Bell 'phone 1191 J Schenley.

PENN AVE., 5905—Two neatly furnished rooms, one alcove; excellent board; all conveniences.

RURAL AVE., 5821—Two large furnished rooms, good boarding. 'Phone 317 R Highland.

SHADY AVE., 434—Large elegantly furnished cool rooms; excellent board; references exchanged. Bell 'phone.

SHADY AVE., 435—Large, light, elegantly furnished rooms, excellent boarding; desirable location.

S. HIGHLAND AVE., 406—Second floor front, with alcove; table board; references required.

ST. JAMES ST., 511—Large furnished rooms, near two car lines and Shadyside station; first-class board, desirable location.

THE WINDEMERE, 6309-6311 MARCHAND ST.—Large well furnished rooms with excellent table board; convenient to street cars and East Liberty station; Bell 'phone 901 R Highland.

FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

City and Suburban.

BOGGS AVE., 82—Three large unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences; no children.

MEADE ST., 811, Wilkinsburg—Three large light unfurnished rooms, modern house; family adults.

THIRD ST., Aspinwall—Three fine unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping and one nicely furnished second-story room; all conveniences; private family; rates reasonable. Address M 133, The Gazette.

FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

City and Suburban.

PENN AVE., 949—Two extra large unfurnished rooms for doctor's office.

East End.

HAMILTON AVE., 7314—Three unfurnished rooms, water and gas, rent moderate; no children.

HIGHLAND AVE., 392—Doctor's office; office and waiting room, partly furnished; hot and cold water; entrance from street; good light; established office.

IDLEWILD ST., 7317—Four unfurnished rooms, second floor; all conveniences.

MIGONETTE ST., 5717—Second story front room, furnished or unfurnished; all conveniences.

NORTH HIGHLAND AVE., 810—Furnished or unfurnished rooms suitable for housekeeping or studio; board.

OPHELIA ST., 844—Three large unfurnished rooms, bath, cupboard, all conveniences.

PORTLAND PLACE, 722, North Negley, near Hays—Two unfurnished rooms, with bath, both gases.

Allegheny.

CALIFORNIA AVE., 477—Three unfurnished rooms, bath, laundry; $16 month.

GRANT AVE., 1021, cor. North—Two very desirable rooms, all conveniences; reasonable.

SEDGWICK ST., 1330—Three very desirable unfurnished rooms; all conveniences; terms reasonable.

WEST NORTH AVE., 706—Two large unfurnished rooms, second floor; running water, both gases.

FOR RENT.

City and Suburban Residences.

TO LET.
A COMPLETE LIST OF HOUSES AND APARTMENTS,
with Map of East End,
Will be mailed upon request, free.
S. H. LLOYD,
6022 Penn Ave., E. E.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

LIVE IN EAST END—Rent, gas, etc. free by buying my house furnishings and lease will be transferred. Address L 133, The Gazette.

McKINLEY AVE., 307, Avalon—Four rooms, newly papered, bath, laundry; rent reasonable; immediate possession.

Allegheny Residences.

TO LET.
$25—New 6-room frame, bath, laundry; near car line, Avalon.
$35—5-room modern house, Avalon.
$15—5-room frame, 12th ward, Allegheny; will allow balance of August rent free to satisfactory tenant.
Also other houses and suites of rooms in city and suburbs. Size and age our list.
Office open Saturday evening until 7 o'clock.
FRANK N. YOUNG,
408 Federal st., Allegheny.

FOR RENT—$28—1428 Poplar st., Allegheny. Apply Pitcairn, 605 Farmers Bank building.

Offices.

—FOR RENT—
High class offices, single and en suite, in Empire building, Fifth st. and Liberty ave.; continuous elevator service.
SAMUEL W. BLACK & CO.,
Farmers Bank Building.

TO LET.
Offices centrally located; moderate rent.
JESSE K. SERIGHT,
117 W. Ohio, Allegheny.

Manufacturing Sites.

TO LET.
Manufacturing plots in city; first-class building; ¼ acre ground; railroad siding holding 5 cars; will give long lease.
JESSE K. SERIGHT,
117 W. Ohio, Allegheny.

Apartments.

DELMAR APARTMENTS.
Modern apartments, consisting of 4 rooms and bath; lavatory, cabinet mantels, tile hearths, range, hot and cold water, stationary washtubs, large front and rear porches, etc. These apartments are up-to-date and located in one of the most beautiful landscapes, convenient to the city. Rent $17, $18. Eighth st. and Ridge ave., West Park. Take West Park car, Third ave. and Wood st. One 5c fare.

THE BRADBERRY APARTMENTS.
Race st., Allegheny, central location, near churches, school house, market house, street cars and park, new and up-to-date; finest in the city.
A. D. WILSON,
221 Federal st., Allegheny.

FOR RENT—Very desirable 6-room apartment with all modern improvements, second floor, Dala building, corner Enbridge and Winthrop streets; immediate possession if desired; party leaving city; rent paid until September. Inquire of janitor.

Storerooms.

STOREROOMS TO LET.
Choice new store rooms, Federal street, Allegheny. Possession August 10.
HENRY W. ARMSTRONG,
218 Federal Street, Allegheny.

Business Properties.

FOR RENT—One of the best drug store locations in Western Pennsylvania. Dale & Reed, Franklin, Pa.

FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences.

FOR SALE.
SUBURBAN HOUSES.
EAST END.

New frame dwellings of 6 rooms and bath and two attic rooms, all modern conveniences. Now ready for occupancy. Located on Emerson place, Allegheny, two squares from Perrysville avenue, just 8 minutes' ride from Allegheny market.

Beautiful new brick dwellings of 9 rooms, reception hall and all modern improvements, located on Kendall avenue, Bellevue.

Here is a bargain in a small frame dwelling, just 15 minutes' ride from the Pittsburgh postoffice. Frame dwelling of 5 rooms, two attic rooms and bath. Price $3,250. Will consider in exchange a lot as first payment.
MORTGAGE BANKING COMPANY,
423 Fourth ave.

S. ARNOLD & CO.,
434 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.

WATER STREET FRONTAGE, NEAR B. & O. R. R. Station. Lot 45x60 feet. Two 3-story brick houses, $670 per foot front. Remarkably low price. Adjoining property held at $1,000 per foot. Rental, $2,400.

FIFTH AVENUE — OAKLAND BUSINESS district. Lot 24x127 feet, to past alley. Three-story brick and mansard, 8 rooms, storeroom, all modern.
$15,000.
This is a choice business location.

LAWSON STREET—THIRTEENTH WARD —New frame cottage house, 4 rooms, cellar, bath, front and rear porches. Lot 20x50 feet.
$1,800.

FOR SALE.

Beautiful suburban home at a bargain. Location, Greensburg pike, only a short distance from the Wilkinsburg line. It consists of something more than eight acres of ground and a 12-room frame dwelling, barn, chicken house, etc. All kinds of fruit trees, the very best of their several kinds. This property fronts on the proposed Wilkinsburg and East Pittsburgh street car line, and could be subdivided to a good advantage. It will make 21 lots 100 feet square in addition to over an acre on which the house stands. This property can be sold at a price that will double in value within the next few years. For price, terms, etc., apply to owner on premises, "Grandview Place," Greensburg pike, or to the Wilkinsburg Real Estate and Trust Co., corner Wood and Penn ave., Wilkinsburg, Pa.

NEAT DWELLING AND FINE LOT.
Watson boulevard, Perrysville avenue, beautiful location and everything in prime condition throughout; one of the coziest homes in either city.
JAMES W. DRAPE & CO.,
425 Fourth ave.

12-ROOM house, city water, both gases, shade trees; lot 100x120 ft., near street cars; Avalon, Pa. Clark, Room 408, No. 421 Wood st.

$850—SHERADEN—New cottage, 3 rooms, water, gas, good street, near cars, away below value, forced sale, splendid investment or home. McGhie, 312 Fourth ave.

$2,000 under price; new 10-room brick house; very high class; large rooms; easy terms. J. M. Wanner Co., 609 Times bldg.

East End Residences.

FOR SALE—At low price, on Hermitage st., in Belmar park, East End, we have the best little 7-room brick house with bath. Pretty eastown alley runs from Sterrett st., and walk up to Hermitage st., the prettiest street in the East End. Come out Sunday or any other time and see these houses.

GEO. B. KELLY,
6200 Penn ave., over postoffice.

AN ARTISTIC HOME.
One of the finest center-hall houses in the East End; just completed. Has 14 rooms and all finished in hardwood; first-class location.

NICE EAST END RESIDENCE.
Eight good rooms; finished attic; bath; toilet; lavatory; wide porch, etc. Great bargain; possession at once.
JAMES W. DRAPE & CO.,
425 Fourth ave.

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MANY NEW YORK STOCKS REACH NEW HIGH PRICES

Profit-Taking in the Tractions Caused Sharp Reactions—Steel Preferred Firmer—Gold Engagements Were Cancelled.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

A half score leading stocks in the New York market yesterday advanced to the highest prices of the year. A number of prominent issues sold within a fraction of the highest of the year, and the general average is probably higher now than at any previous time this year. Nevertheless there was considerable irregularity at times during the day, with several periods of dullness, and the total sales were about 150,000 shares smaller than on Thursday. At the opening there was activity in several prominent specialties, and the tone was improved by the publication of optimistic remarks credited to Mr. J. P. Morgan, as well as by the publication of the results of an annual investigation of business conditions by a Chicago national bank. London quotations for American securities were firmer and a fraction above the New York parity, and there was a slight improvement in English consols. From the west there was a modification of the damage reports from the spring wheat country, and the subsequent sharp reaction in grain on the Chicago board strengthened the confidence of bulls on stocks.

Southern Pacific was again a leader of the railroad group, opening at 55, declining to 54¾ on profit-taking, and then advancing rapidly to 55¾, the highest of the year. Union Pacific was active, but did not improve on the price of the day before, and closed unchanged for the day. Wall street manifests much confidence in ultimately higher prices for these stocks, and the buying has been of a good character, although within the past few days the bull tip has been so well distributed, particularly on Southern Pacific, it is reasonable to infer that much of the recent buying has been purely speculative. St. Paul, Missouri Pacific and Rock Island closed at small net declines for the day, but Atchison was consistently strong throughout, reaching a new high price at 80¾, and closing at 79¾, a net advance of ¾ per cent for the day. Southern and southwestern stocks were all strong and higher, and in several instances advanced to the highest of the year. The shares of railroads traversing the industrial district were steady to firm and closed at net gains. Baltimore & Ohio advanced to 86¾, the highest of the year. Official denial was made of the story that the Pennsylvania contemplated a new loan and that stock rallied to 121¾, closing at 121⅝ bid. Chesapeake & Ohio was more active than for some time past and advanced to 36¼, the highest of the year.

There was a better tone to United States Steel preferred, and after an early display of weakness, during which the price declined to 58⅛, the stock rallied to 59⅜ and closed at 58⅝ bid. American Smelting common was quite active and advanced to 99⅜, highest of the year. The preferred also made a new high mark by advancing to 105. National Lead common was active and higher, reaching 23⅝, but closing at 22⅝. Amalgamated Copper advanced to 54¼, which was within four of the best price this year, and closed at 53¾, a net gain. Metropolitan Securities preferred declined to 42⅝, and was one of the few industrials to close at a net decline.

There was extensive profit-taking in the tractions, and toward the end of the day Metropolitan displayed decided weakness, selling off to 121⅝, and closing practically at the lowest. Metropolitan Securities advanced to 96⅛ and broke to 92⅜. Brooklyn Rapid Transit reached 53¾, the highest of the year, but subsequently lost all the gain and closed unchanged for the day.

The cancellation of the gold engaged for export today was announced, but had no effect whatever upon the situation. Call loans remained at ¾ to 1 per cent and closed unchanged. It is estimated that the banks gained nearly $3,500,000 currency from the interior this week, but lost some gold through shipments to Cuba, but the forecast for today's bank statement estimates a net gain in cash of between $1,000,000 and $2,000,000.

As a rule the opening prices on grain were the highest of the day and the closing prices were the lowest. Foreign markets were all higher, but they have got yet advanced to parity with Chicago, and the demand for export continues light. The movement of winter wheat to market also continues large, still averaging 200,000 ousheis a day over the corresponding season last year, and exports of grain from Argentine are well maintained. So far as crop news was concerned, there was simply a reiteration of the damage reports, but no evidence that the area of damage was spreading.

The local stock market was dull and listless. The only feature was Pittsburgh Coal preferred, a small lot of which stock had sold unchanged at 55, and then stagnation ensued until early in the afternoon, when a buying order appeared for 150 shares, and in filling it the broker bid the price up to 56½. There were no transactions after this, but the stock was later freely offered at 55½, and closing quotations were 55 bid, 55½ asked. There were no sales of the common, which closed at 13 bid, 14 asked. River Coal common and preferred were nominally unchanged. Crucible Steel preferred rallied to 26⅜ on purchases of small lots, but subsequently sold off to 26 and closed offered at that price. Only 20 shares Westinghouse Electric changed hands all day at 79¾. Airbrake sold unchanged at 130. Manufacturers Light & Heat was firmer, selling at 32⅝. Philadelphia Company preferred sold at 44, a decline of 1¼ from the last previous sale. National Fire Proofing preferred was lower at 28¼. Brewing common was active and firmer, selling at 24⅝. There was very little doing in bank and trust company stocks.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

10 Airbrake ..130 | 5 Sewer Pipe... 20½

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

25 Brewing pfd.. 45⅝ | 200 Brewing com.. 24⅜
20 U. S. Sil. pfd. 58½ | 50 do..... 24⅝
50 do..... 59 | 10 do..... 24⅜
1 Char. Val. W 10 | 50 do..... 24⅝
$822.50 Pgh. Coal scrip...102⅝ | 10 Crucible pfd... 36¼
12 M. L. & H.. 32⅝ | 35 do..... 36¼
26 do..... 32⅜ | 15 do..... 36½
10 F. Proof pfd. 28½ | 15 do..... 33½
85 do..... 28½ | 11 Cont. Trust... 80
100 Pipage ..... 22 | 10 Land T. & T.. 100

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

20 Crucible pfd.. 36 | 50 P. Coal pfd.... 55
100 do..... 36 | 150 do..... 56½
35 do..... 36 | 17 Airbrake 130
20 do..... 36 | 8 do..... 130

2:00 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

100 Philda. pfd.... 44 | 15 M. L. & H.. 32⅝
5 Crucible pfd.. 36 | 80 Brewing com.. 24⅜
12 Riv. Coal pfd. 20 | 100 do..... 24⅜
20 Sewer Pipe.. 21½ | 50 do..... 24⅝
25 M. L. & H.. 32⅜ | 50 do..... 24⅝
200 do..... 32⅜ | 5 H. warr. .....
50 do..... 32⅜ | Oct. deliv.. 12.70
35 do..... 32⅝ |

Summary.

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sales.	Ch'ge.
25 A. Sewer Pipe.	21½	20½	21½	+¾
620 Brewing	24⅝	24⅜	24⅝	+⅜
25 Philda. pfd....	*45⅝	*45⅜	*45⅝	0
1 Char. Val. Water	10	10	10	—30
200 Crucible pfd....	36¾	36	36	—¼
185 F. Proof. pfd..	28½	28½	28½	—¾

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Arsenal Bank.....	50	135	....
Lincoln National.....	100	240	....
Traders & Mechanics.....	50	70	....
Guarantee Title & Trust.....	100	....	180
Commonwealth Trust.....	100	175	....
Iron City Trust.....	100	110	....
Allemania Insurance.....	50	....	55
Manufacturers Light & Heat.	50	32⅝	32½
Ohio Fuel Supply.....	25	37	....
Peoples Pipage.....	20	21¾	23
Lanter Mining.....	10	11½	12
Pleasant Valley Traction....	25	27	....
Allegheny Valley R. R. pfd.	50	23½	24¾
Westinghouse Electric 1st pfd.	50	....	98
Do 2d pfd.....	50	78½	79⅝
Consolidated Ice.....	50	3⅛	....
Crucible Steel.....	100	5⅜	....
Do preferred.....	100	35⅜	36
Harbison-Walker Co.....	100	6	....
Do preferred.....	100	52½	....
Monongahela River Coal.....	50	8	....
Do preferred.....	50	19½	20
Marsden	100	3⅛	3½
National Fireproofing.....	50	7⅝	8
Philadelphia Co.....	50	39½	....
Pittsburgh Brewing.....	50	24⅛	24⅜
Do preferred.....	50	44¾	44⅞
Pittsburgh Coal.....	100	13	14
Do preferred.....	100	55	55½
Union Switch & Signal.....	50	....	60
United States Steel.....	100	31½	32
Do preferred.....	100	58⅝	58⅝
American Sewer Pipe.....	100	21⅞	22
BONDS.			
Duquesne Traction 5s.....	....	112	....
Pitts., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s.	....	99½	99½
Monongahela River Coal 6s.	....	110	110½
Pittsburgh Brewing 6s.....	....	113	....
Harbison-Walker 6s.....	....	100	....
PIG IRON WARRANTS.			
A—Southern Coke.....	....	13.85	13.85
B—Northern Coke.....	....	12.60	12.85
C—Virginia Coke.....	....	13.00	13.25
D—Standard Bessemer.....	....	13.00	13.25

LOCAL BANK CALL.

At the call of local bank stocks yesterday there were sales of Continental Trust at 80, unchanged from the last previous sale, and 10 shares Land Title and Trust at 160, an advance of 20 points over the last previous sale. Unposted quotations for small lots were as follows:

	Bid.	Ask.
Allegheny Nat. Bank, Pittsburgh...	120	....
Cosmopolitan National.....	....	115
Guarantee Title & Trust.....	....	180
Commonwealth Trust.....	175	....
Colonial Trust.....	327	332
Homewood Peoples.....	50	....
Provident Trust.....	100	....

NOTES AND COMMENT.

Nearly every day furnishes fresh evidence of the narrowness of the local stock market. Yesterday it was Pittsburgh Coal preferred. There had been a sale at 55, and the nominal quotations for about two hours thereafter were 54⅜ bid, 55½ asked. In the early part of the afternoon a broker came into the exchange with a buying order for 150 shares. He began to bid for the stock and raised the price by eighths until it had passed the previous asking price. Still no stock was offered for sale and none came out until the bid reached 56½. At that figure the order was filled and the market immediately relapsed into dullness and the price receded to 55 bid, 55½ asked. There were no dealings in the common stock, which closed nominal at 13 bid, 14 asked. The dividend scrip sold unchanged at 102. A small lot of River Coal preferred sold at 20, and 19½ was bid for quotable amounts.

The most popular query in Fourth avenue this week has been, "What is doing in Crucible?" So far official information is concerned there is nothing doing in the company's affairs, and very little doing in the stock. The preferred rallied to 36¾ and then sold off to 33 without arousing much interest in the fluctuations.

Pittsburgh Brewing common was fairly active, 520 shares selling at 24⅝, a slight advance.

Westinghouse Electric remained dull, but was steady to firm at 79¾ bid. Several brokers were asked yesterday if the cancellation of the gold signified their intention of subscribing for their pro rata of treasury stock at $80 a share. None of those of whom inquiry was made had forwarded any subscriptions, but the head of one prominent house stated that some of their customers in the stock, while not having yet given definite orders, had made arrangements to take up their subscriptions at the last moment on Monday, if they finally decided to subscribe. An individual investor in Westinghouse Electric said: "I subscribed for my full allotment and paid $80 a share, when I could have bought it for $79 a share in the open market, including brokerage, at $79 25 a share. I paid for my stock in full, and today received the company check for interest at the rate of 4 per cent on the anticipated instalment. I hold my stock because I thought the transaction would benefit the company, whereas if I bought the stock in the open market the company would have derived no benefit and I would have saved an insignificant fraction per share. I believe that after the subscriptions are closed and the first instalment is paid, the stock will rally in the market, but I hold my stock for an investment, not for a turn in the market."

Peoples Natural Gas and Pipage sold at 22, an advance of ½ over the last previous sale. Manufacturers Light and Heat was firmer at 32⅝.

The decline in National Fire Proofing preferred to 28½ was probably based upon the less favorable building outlook in New York, where the lockout of labor is still in force. Harbison-Walker stocks, on the other hand, held firm at the advance of the day before.

Crop reports from 1,042 bank officials scattered throughout the south, southwest, west and northwest have been received by the Commercial National bank of Chicago. They represent an increase in corn at 16 per cent, oats 19, rye 11, barley 20, cotton 14 per cent. Winter wheat in the leading states is 7 per cent less. On spring wheat no intelligent estimate can be made, but if frost holds off until after August 15, and rust does not spread, the three northwestern states will have as much as last year. Every important cotton state shows an increase over last year. Deposits of country banks are greatly in excess of last year, and about $100,000,000 has been invested in new industries the past year.

The regular quarterly dividend of 4 per cent was declared by the Fidelity Title and Trust Company.

The National Biscuit Company directors have declared the regular dividend of 1¾ per cent on preferred stock and 1 per cent on common. The preferred dividend is payable September 1.

Southern Railway earnings for the first week of August increased $46,980 and from July 1 increased $145,481. Northern Pacific July earnings decreased $65,919.

The strength of Southern Pacific and certain other issues around the close made it tolerably clear that the big people are in the market and they are prepared to take stocks on any little recessions.

Wall street message: "The trading in Steel preferred today has been largely by Field and his following, the latter presumably owing to a rumor of a cut in the price of steel billets. There is still an extended short interest. On the whole I would rather buy it than sell it."

This is how one Wall street man is reported to have begun to make some of his dollars work overtime. He owns $50,000 of railroad 4 per cent bonds which are selling close to par. He took these bonds, which he owns outright, to a bank and borrowed $40,000 upon them for one year at 4 per cent. With this borrowed money he bought outright and paid for United States Steel 5 per cent bonds, at par, value of which is $60,000. He paid less than $700 for each $1,000 bond, so that the rate of income derived is about 6 1-3 per cent. The interest which he pays to the bank for the $40,000 is $1,600 a year. The interest received on his United States Steel bonds is $2,500 a year. His clear profit is $900. As this man bought and paid outright for his United States Steel bonds he need not worry about them for just one year, when the $40,000 loan will become due. While threading through the mazes of risk in the transaction he believes that he has discovered the way in which to make his money work overtime for him.

The fiscal year opened badly for the foreign trade in breadstuffs and provisions, but there was slight improvement in cotton and mineral oils. Shipments in July were smaller than in any month for many years. The exports of breadstuffs in July as shown by the statement given out by the bureau of statistics were only $4,812,702, against $11,626,090 in the same month of last year. The breadstuffs exports in July were distributed as follows: Barley, $52,543, as against $50,322 in the same month of 1903; corn, $1,135,015, as against $2,980,353; corn meal, $84,894, as against $250,815; oats, $8,208, as against $12,383; oatmeal, $20,510, as against $45,748; rye, $137, as against $70,453; wheat, $3,507,778, as against $7,146,598, and wheat flour, $2,956,778, as against $4,707,427. The July exports of provisions amounted to $9,256,900, as against $12,388,863 in the same month of last year; cattle and hogs, $2,988,235, as against $8,782,279; oils, $7,974,094, as against $6,192,568; and cotton, $5,453,022, as against $5,037,069.

Little account was taken in the stock market of the confusion which seemed to exist in the foreign exchange market and which led ultimately to the cancellation of the engagement of gold bars for export to London. Although exports of domestic products for July again showed a decline from the previous year of $9,682,000, chiefly of breadstuffs, the time is near now when a supply of cotton bills may be looked for in the exchange market, making the profit on a gold shipment very hazardous. The Cuban gold shipments will affect the showing by the banks, but money has continued to flow to New York from the interior and a further gain in cash reserves is looked for in today's bank statement.

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

Bank exchanges increased $284,000 over the same day last year.

Stock market dull and listless, closing about steady.

Pittsburgh Coal preferred jumped to 56½, but reacted to 55.

Natural Gas stocks were firmer and closed slightly higher.

Crucible preferred and Fireproofing preferred closed lower.

Westinghouse Electric dull but firm, closing at 79¼ bid.

IN WALL STREET.

A half score of prominent stocks reach the highest prices of the year.

Trading less active, sales footing up 585,400 shares stock and $2,420,000 bonds.

Southern Pacific advanced a dollar a share to 55½, closing at 55.

American Smelting and National Lead active and higher.

Steel preferred firmer, rallying 1 per cent from the low point.

All gold export engagements for today were cancelled.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

The known area of the copper deposits of the Butte (Mont.) district, is being constantly widened by explorations from the working mines.

The mines and other property of the Pelican Mining Company at Hancock, N. M., were recently sold at sheriff's sale. The judgment was in favor of Henry C. Flower of Kansas City for $5,436 40.

During the last three months the Watseca Mining Company of Rochester, Mont., has carried net profits of $40,000 a month.

The Calaveras Mining Company, operating the Garnet mine, near Javilia, Mex., shipped 33 tons of copper ore to the El Paso smelter that yielded 12 per cent copper, two ounces of silver and half an ounce of gold a ton.

The G. W. Richards lease on the Jumbo at Goldfields, Nev., took out $20,000 in one day last week.

The Highland Boy smelter of the Utah Consolidated Company hit a new high mark for production last week when it forwarded to the eastern refineries 361,735 pounds of copper, or nearly 181 tons of copper bullion, carrying high values in gold and some silver.

Judge J. W. Burton of Salt Lake has been at Pioche recently looking after the affairs of the Pioche-Nevada Consolidated Mining Company, of which he is president. A first-class hoist has been installed.

Articles of incorporation of the Newfoundland Gold and Silver Mining Company have been filed during the last week at Central City, Col. The company will operate on the Newfoundland group of mines on Gumnell Hill.

The Tonopah terminal of the new railroad presents a busy and interesting sight. A long string of cars are being filled with ore and heavy shipments are being made daily. Among the mines shipping are the Tonopah Mining Company, the Montana Tonopah, the January, the Combination, the Curtis & Ridge lease, the Bowes lease, the Bowes & Kernick lease, and in fact nearly every large mine in the Tonopah district. Goldfield district will also take about 10 tons each and from now on it is the intention to ship about 10 tons a day.

The side tracks to the various mines on the slope of Mount Oddie will be finished in about a week. Considerable freight is coming in, but there is a great deal more on the way.

In a communication from Chihuahua, Mex., James I. Long, American vice consul and general manager of the Hidalgo Mining Company, says the Parral district, including Santa Barbara, has an output of about 37,000 tons of ore a month. The mines are shipping to the smelters about 20,000 tons of ore monthly, the Montezuma Land Company, at Santa Barbara, is reducing 7,000 tons, Carrizal mills 2,000 tons, Parral Mining Company 2,100 tons, and Stallforths are treating about 900 tons by the patio process.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Tin was higher in London, closing at £122 5s for spot and £122 17s 6d for futures. Locally the market showed little change, closing at $28 90@27 00. Copper also was higher abroad, closing at £56 15s for spot and £56 16s 3d for futures. Locally a firmer tone was evident. Lake is quoted at $13 87½@14 00; electrolytic at $12 50@12 62½, and casting at $12 25@12 50. Lead was unchanged at £11 18s 3d in London and $4 20@4 25 in the local markets. Spelter was unchanged at $4 85@4 92, but was slightly lower in London, where it closed at £22 5s. Iron closed at 52s 3d in Glasgow and 43s 7½d in Middlesboro. Locally iron was unchanged. No. 1 foundry, northern, $14 00@14 50; No. 2 foundry, northern, $13 75@14 00; No. 1 foundry, southern, and No. 1 foundry, southern soft, $13 50@13 75.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Allouez	10	10½	10	10¼
Adventure	80c	87½c	80c	86c
Arcadian	....	....	....	....
Bingham	25	25	25	24¾
Calumet & Arizona.	95¾	96¾	94¾	96¾
Calumet & Hecla..	480	480	480	475
Centennial	24½	24½	24½	24½
Calumet & Pitsb'gh	27	28	....	27
Dom Over	2	....	....	2
Franklin	7¼	....	....	7
Junction Dev. Co..	120	....	....	120
Goldfield	98	....	....	54
Isle of Pgn. Dev..	1½	1¾	....	1½
McNamara	1 43	....	....	41
Massachusetts	14	....	....	8¾
Mohawk	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝	42¼
Michigan	14½	....	....	14
Midwest	....	1.50	....	486
Osceola	63½	64¼	63½	63½
Old Dominion	13	13	12¾	12¾
Parrot	25	25	25	25
Phoenix	55c	56c	56c	....
Pgh. & Duluth.....	129½	....	....	129½
Quincy	84	84	84	....
Range Consolidated.	53⅜	53⅝	53⅜	53⅜
Bay & O'Brien	5.12	....	....	.09
Rescue	1.11	....	....	.06c
Redtop	1.13	....	....	11c
Trinity	18¼	18¼	17¾	17¾
Tamarack	95½	96	95½	92½
Utah	38½	39⅛	38½	39⅝
U. S. Mining.....	22	22	22	22
Victoria	3	....	....	2¾
Winona	8	8½	8	8
Tonopah Extension.	....	1.05	....	1.00
Tonopah Belmont.....	....	1.71	....	.68
Tonopah Montana..	2.45	....	....	2.40

*Bid †Asked.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con.	.25	Little Chief	.05
Allow	.20	Ontario	3.50
Breece	.10	Ophir	2.20
Brunswick Con....	.16	Phoenix	.06
Comstock Tunnel..	.04	Potosi	.14
Con. Cal. & Va...	1.10	Sierra Nevada	.20
Horn Silver	1.50	Small Hopes	.20
Iron Silver	1.40	Standard	1.90
Leadville Con.	.02		

Foreign Money Markets.

LONDON, Aug. 12.—Rates for money were easy in the market today and the supplies were sufficient to meet the requirements of the stock exchange. Discounts slackened. The announcement that $2,500,000 in gold is leaving India this week assisted in the tendency to reduce discount rates. Trading on the stock exchange was inactive, owing to it being payday. Gilt-edged securities improved on the easier rates for money. Foreigners availed more definite war news. Consols hardened but reacted at the close. Americans opened steady and moved to well above parity. Operators, however, were cautious, in view of the uncertainty regarding the wheat situation. Prices ruled firm. Grand Trunks was flat on the announcement of the half-yearly earnings. Imperial Japanese government sixes of 1904 were quoted at 85⅜@⅝. Consols for money, 85 1-16; consols for account, 85 5-16; money, 2½@2½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2⅜@2 15-16 per cent; the rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 2 15-16@3 per cent. The amount of bullion taken into the Bank of England on balance today was £22,000.

PARIS, Aug. 12.—Prices on the bourse today were quiet and unchanged. Russian Imperial fours closed at 92c. Russian bonds of 1904 were not quoted. Three per cent rentes, 88f 15c. The account; exchange on London 25f 26c for checks.

BERLIN, Aug. 12.—On the boerse today coal and iron shares were stronger. American rails were higher on New York advices. Exchange on London 20 marks 48¾ pfgs. for checks. Discount rates, short bills, 1½ per cent; three months' bills, 2½ per cent.

COMPLETE RECORD NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges, and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low.	Close. Bid.
53600	A., T. & S. F....	79⅜	80¼	79¼	79¾
2000	Do preferred....	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾
400	Am. Cotton Oil....	32½	32½	32	32
	Do preferred....	....	....	....	91½
	Am. Sugar Ref..	132½	133¾	132½	132¾
	Do preferred....	....	....	....	131
600	Am. Locomotive..	22¾	22¾	22	22
200	Do preferred....	89¼	89¼	89	88¾
2700	A. Car Foundry..	18⅝	18⅞	18⅝	18¼
	Do preferred....	....	....	....	78
	American Can....	....	....	....	4¼
	Do preferred....	....	....	....	42½
40500	Atchison, Topeka.	79	80¼	79	79¾
31000	A. Smelt. & Ref.	59	60⅜	59	60¼
33000	Do preferred....	101⅜	105	101¼	104
	American Ice....	....	....	....	6¾
100	Do preferred....	27½	27½	27½	27½
8900	Baltimore & Ohio	86¼	86¾	86	86¼
100	Do preferred....	94	94	94	93½
16600	Brooklyn R. T..	53⅜	53¾	53	53¼
	Canada Southern	....	....	....	64½
9000	Canadian Pacific.	126⅜	127⅞	126½	127
800	Chi. Gt. West...	14⅛	15	14⅜	14⅞
200	Consolidated Gas.	136	136	135½	135½
100	C. C. C. & St. L.	74½	74½	74½	74½
36000	Chesa. & Ohio...	36	36⅝	35⅞	36⅝
1500	Chicago & Alton.	40⅛	40¾	40¼	40¾
	Do preferred....	....	....	....	80½
500	Chicago & N'w.	183	188	182½	182
2600	Col. Fuel & Iron.	36	37⅜	36	36⅝
200	Corn Product....	12	12	12	11¾
	Do preferred....	....	....	....	27
1300	Col. Southern...	14	14½	14	14¼
700	Do 1st pfd....	48½	49½	48½	49
700	Do 2d pfd.....	20½	21¾	20½	21
	D., L. & W.....	....	....	....	265
1600	Del. & Hudson..	161	161⅝	160½	161⅛
	Evans. & T. H....	....	....	....	56
9600	Erie	25½	25⅞	25½	25⅝
1700	Do. 1st pfd....	64	64	63⅜	63⅝
400	Do 2d pfd.....	37⅝	38¼	37½	37¾
500	General Electric.	183	183¼	183	183¼
400	Hocking Valley..	69	69	68½	69
400	Do preferred....	80½	81½	80½	81½
1500	Illinois Central.	135	135	134¼	134¾
200	Iowa Central....	19¼	20	19¼	27
100	Do preferred....	26¼	26¼	26¼	27
300	Internat. Paper..	14½	14⅝	14¼	14½
800	Do preferred....	71	71¾	71	71½
	L. E. & W.....	....	....	....	27
	Do preferred....	....	....	....	74
3200	Louis. & Nash...	118¼	118½	118¼	118¼
100	Manhattan	151¼	151½	151¼	150¾
8900	Missouri Pacific.	94⅝	94⅞	94⅛	94⅞
6200	M., K. & T.....	20¾	20⅝	20½	20½
200	Do preferred....	45⅜	45⅜	45⅜	45⅜
22800	Metropolitan	123⅜	124½	121⅜	121⅝
46500	Do securities..	94½	96⅛	92⅜	92⅝
2300	Mexican Central.	9⅞	10	9⅝	9⅝
11200	National Lead...	22	23⅝	22	22⅝
	Do preferred....	94	94	94	94
	National Biscuit	....	....	....	47⅝
	Do preferred....	....	....	....	108½
2200	New York Cen..	119½	120¾	119½	119⅝
	New Jersey Cen.	....	....	....	165
4800	N. Y., O. & W..	31	31⅜	30¾	30¾
1300	Norfolk & West.	62½	63	62½	62¾
	Do. preferred....	....	....	....	84
1000	N. Y. American Co.	88	89	88	88
2600	Peoples Gas.....	101	101¾	101	101
500	Pacific Mail	28	28⅝	28	28¼
	Pullman	....	....	....	217
100	Pressed Steel Car	33½	33½	33½	33
	Do. preferred....	....	....	....	75
30100	Penn. R. R.....	121¾	121⅞	121¼	121⅝
	P., C. & St.L....	....	....	....	99
	Do. preferred....	....	....	....	93
	Railway Springs..	....	....	....	20½
52500	Reading	53⅝	53⅝	53½	53¾
	Do. first pfd....	....	....	....	84
200	Do. second pfd..	70¾	70¾	70¾	71
10400	Rock Island.....	24¾	25⅛	24¾	25⅛
1200	Do. preferred....	69¾	67	66¾	66¾
100	Republic Iron...	17½	17½	....	93
400	Do. preferred....	43	43	42¾	42½
62900	Sloss Sheffield..	55	55¼	54¾	55
17500	Southern Ry....	26½	26⅝	26½	26¾
700	Do. preferred....	91¼	91¾	91¼	91⅝
18400	St. Paul.....	149¾	149¾	148¾	149
	Do. preferred....	....	....	....	170¾
1200	St. L. & S'w'n..	15½	16	15½	15
	Do. preferred....	37½	37⅝	37	37
1100	Tenn Coal & Iron	43¾	44¾	43½	43½
2700	Texas & Pacific..	28⅛	28⅝	28⅛	28⅜
500	Tol. St. L. & W.	26	26	26	25½
1000	Do. preferred....	38¾	39	38¾	38½
2400	U. S. Steel.....	12	12	11⅞	11⅞
17000	Do. preferred....	59¼	59¾	59¼	59¾
	Do. 2d 50's bds.	78⅜	78⅜	78⅝	78⅝
31900	Union Pacific...	98⅛	98⅝	97⅜	97⅝
100	Do. preferred....	92¾	92¾	92¾	93½
200	Do. 4s pfd.....	104½	104½	104½	104½
300	Do. preferred....	75½	75½	75½	74¾
1100	U. S. Leather....	7⅜	7⅛	7⅜	7⅜
600	Do. preferred....	89⅞	84⅜	83⅞	84
900	Wabash	17⅝	18¼	17⅝	18
1000	Do. preferred....	37⅞	37½	37	37
100	W. U. Tel.	89	89	89	89
	Wheeling & E.....	....	....	....	14½
	Do. 1st pfd.....	....	....	....	40
	Do. second pfd..	....	....	....	22
900	Wis. Central....	17½	18¼	17⅜	18
300	Do preferred....	39½	39⅝	39½	40
2400	M.S.L. & S.S. & M.	74	75	74	74½
600	Do. preferred....	128⅜	130	128⅜	129

INACTIVE LIST.

300	Amer. Malt pfd....	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
100	Amer. Snuff pfd....	123½	123½	123
100	Amer. Wool pfd....	78	78	78
1100	Chi. Union Trac....	5¼	5¼	5¼
200	Int. Paper. Trans..	9¼	10	10
800	Do. preferred....	16	15	15¾
200	Corn Product....	12	12	12
355	Con. Tob. pfd....	118½	118	118
200	Den. & R. Grande	2¼	2¼	2¼
400	Do. preferred....	72½	72	71¾
100	D. S. Railway....	2¼	2¼	2¼
100	D. S. S. & A. pfd.	9½	9½	9½
100	Int. Pump.....	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝
920	Iowa Central....	20	19½	20
100	Do. preferred....	36¼	36¼	36¼
850	K. C. S. & S. pfd.	44¾	43¾	44
450	K. C. Ft. S. & M.pfd	47½	47½	47½
2500	M.St.P.& S.S.M.	75¼	74	74¾
650	Do. preferred....	130	128¾	130
44398	Met. Subs.....	98⅝	92⅜	98⅛
150	Min. & St. L....	49	49	48¾
9080	M., K. & T. com	20¾	20¼	20¾
100	Rubber Goods....	17⅝	17⅝	17⅝
1740	St. Jos. & G. I....	15¾	15¾	15¾
1244	Do. pfd.....	47½	47½	47½
1310	Do. second pfd....	25⅜	24⅜	25⅜
200	Sloss	37½	37	36¾
100	Third Avenue	124½	124½	124½
250	Twin City.....	99⅝	98⅜	99
1200	Va. Car. Chem....	25⅝	24⅝	25⅛
250	Do. preferred....	104⅞	104⅝	104⅞

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. reg. 2s.....	104⅝	Man. con.

FINE PROPERTY SOLD FOR $18,000

John B. Semple Buys Part of Old Ogden Homestead in Sewickley Valley.

AN ALLEGHENY DEAL REPORTED

One of the most interesting sales in the Sewickley valley for months was closed yesterday through the office of George Brothers. For Mrs. Charles Richardson and Mrs. W. W. Tittle of Sewickley they sold to John B. Semple 2¾ acres in Leet township for $18,000. The property is vacant and was formerly a part of the old Ogden homestead, part of which was sold several years ago to Charles T. Harbaugh. It is on Grand avenue, about one mile from the borough line of Sewickley. The place is admirably located for a fine residence site, as it adjoins the residence of James B. Oliver and is near the old David Shields mansion. The properties of John C. Slack of the Fidelity Title and Trust Company, Robert P. Nevin, Fred A. Russell and Ralph M. Dravo are in the immediate vicinity. It is said that the only vacant plot of acreage left in this part of the Sewickley valley. Mr. Semple now lives in Sewickley, and it is understood that he will improve his purchase with a residence to cost about $25,000.

Store No. 6 of Ballowin is reported to have secured an option on seven store buildings at the northwest corner of Federal and North Diamond streets, Allegheny, the consideration being $120,000. The buildings are owned by different persons and are mostly two-story brick structures. The Federal street buildings are occupied by August Loch, jeweler, the Ben Hur store and S. B. Shriver & Co.'s tobacco store. The buildings in North Diamond street are used for small offices and dwellings. Two of these properties changed hands last year and it was announced then that a modern store building would be erected on the site. The present buildings are old and of comparatively little value, although their location makes them command a high rental. If the deal goes through it is Mr. McKee's intention to erect a six or seven-story building to cover the entire site. The first floor of this will be used for stores and the upper floors for offices. Rumors have been afloat for some time of another large store to be established in Allegheny, but whether this deal has any connection with that project is not known.

Three Good East End Sales.

The Twentieth ward contributed two good sales yesterday, showing that the popularity of this part of the city among residence buyers is still increasing. William C. Fried bought from John R. Rush 62x100 feet at the northwest corner of Friendship and Millvale avenues for $22,000. The lot is improved with a handsome residence.

The other sale in this ward was that of the Frank Meteaff property on the south side of Friendship avenue, near Millvale avenue, for $20,000. The buyer is John L. Welshons. The lot is 52.5x160 feet and is improved with a two-story and attic colonial brick house.

A $30,00 deal was also made for Thirty-seventh ward property yesterday, being the largest deal in that section for weeks. William D. Johnston sold to Edward M. Sheehan 110x150 feet, on the south side of Baxter street, near Park street. The property, which is improved with a number of houses, was bought last year from A. J. Kirkpatrick.

Samuel W. Black & Co. have awarded the contract to Stevenson & Adams for 14 houses to be built for E. M. O'Neill in Greenfield avenue and Kenyon street, Twelfth ward. The houses will be six-room brick veneered dwellings standing on lots 20x100 feet each, and will cost $2,000 each. The location is near the big mills in Second avenue, where such houses should rent easily. This is the first bunch of the 100 houses that Mr. O'Neill will build in Greenfield this fall.

According to the Construction News of Chicago some other large cities shared the lot of Pittsburgh in showing a heavy falling off in building operations for the month of July. In spite of the exposition boom, St. Louis had to its credit 7 per cent to account for, compared with July, 1903. Louisville showed 40 per cent in building than one year ago. Allegheny came forward with her usual gain, this time the increase being only 6 per cent. The aggregate of building operations as gleaned from 20 of the largest cities of the country was 18 per cent more than in July of last year.

The Scott-Kreble Construction Company, which has lately opened fine offices in the Bessemer building, has been awarded the contract for the new station which the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad Company will build at Ambridge. The same company has the contract for a handsome residence for Martha A. Young, to be built from plans by Mrs. Wagner at Baden.

Deals Made by Brokers.

Susquehanna street: A. D. Harrison of the Wilkinsburg Real Estate and Trust Company sold for $2,900 to Bollinger 7805 Susquehanna street, a nine-room huff brick house on 25x120 feet, for $4,625. He also sold for George E. Barrett to Anna B. McElhaney 6432 Winslow street, an eight-room frame house, for $3,300.

West View: John Orr & Son sold for G. F. Hensel to J. E. McMahon lot 60 in Keating West View. Mr. McMahon tenders in exchange a property in Sheridan avenue, Tenth ward, Allegheny.

Oakmont: James Marshall sold for H. H. Willock the following lots in the Oakmont Heights plan: 170x200 feet in Hulton road, for $2,650; 170x200 feet in Hulton road, for $2,950; 125x182 feet in Hulton road, for $2,000; 167x182 feet in Hulton road, for $2,900; 150x162 feet in Ninth street, for $2,000; 100x162 feet in Ninth street, for $1,100; 150x250 feet in Eighth street, for $2,800; 85x150 feet in Eighth street, for $500; 85x150 feet in Eighth street, for $700. He also sold for Louis Hauser 200x88 feet in E street, Oakmont, for $1,000; for James P. Speer, two lots, 90x150 feet, in B street, for $1,700; for James McKay, three lots, 27x104 feet, in Hulton road, for $1,200.

Hamilton avenue: Martha C. Herron sold to Horace A. Beale 40x135 feet in Hamilton avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $2,000.

Fleming place: William Katzenmyer sold to George L. Bennett 27.6x98 feet on the north side of Monticello street, Twenty-first ward, for $1,850.

Auburn street: Christian J. Juhl sold to Silvera Carlo an improved lot 22x100 feet, on the northeast side of Auburn street, Twenty-first ward, for $1,800.

Rowan avenue: The estate of Margaret Lanigan sold to James M. Rodgers 24x117 feet on the east side of Rowan avenue, near Lincoln avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $2,100.

Kedron avenue: The Pittsburgh Trust Company sold to Jacob Hoffman, July 31, 24 feet on the southwest corner of Kedron avenue and Sheritt street, Twenty-first ward, for $2,450, and to Elizabeth H. Hulem and Elmer R. Cruzan 25x93 feet on the south side of Race street, same ward, for $3,450.

Fernleaf street: Jacob Wilson sold to Ernest Fries an improved lot, 22x72 feet, on the north side of Fernleaf street, Twenty-seventh ward, for $2,350.

Henry W. Armstrong sold for John M. Goehring and Charles W. Dahlinger to Christian Kirsch a lot in Hilands avenue, Ben Avon, 40x130, for $375.

New Buildings Authorized.

Building permits were issued yesterday by the Pittsburgh bureau of building construction to Joseph Hoffman for one two-story frame dwelling in Shaner street, Thirteenth ward, to cost $5,200; to Rosa Witoshe, for a three-story brick nine-room dwelling, in Palmer street, Thirteenth ward, to cost $3,000; to George F. Seipold, for a three-story brick veneer flat building in Lloyd street, Twenty-second ward, to cost $4,850; to Stella A. Turner, for a two-story brick veneer dwelling in Fifty-fifth street, Twenty-third ward, to cost $3,000; to W. E. Bennett, for a two-story 12-room dwelling in Stanton avenue, Nineteenth ward, to cost $10,000; to Julian Marrow, for a three-story brick saloon and house in Penn street Sixth ward, to cost $8,000; to Mary A. Black, for a two-story brick veneer dwelling at Penn avenue and First street, Sixteenth ward, to cost $4,800, and to Dora Goldrits, for a three-story brick flat building in Fulton street, Eighteenth ward, to cost $6,000.

The Allegheny bureau of building inspection issued the following permits yesterday: To T. S. Williams, brick two-story addition to dwelling, 1 story, 6x20, Nos. 1 and 3 Hulton road, to cost $1,800; John and Joseph Reinhart, frame two-story and attic dwelling, at Compromise and Rodgers streets, Twelfth ward, to cost $2,200; Mrs. Ada B. Wolfe, brick three-story addition to dwelling at 1313 Esplanade street, Third ward, to cost $3,800.

Transfers Recorded.

Knauff Adam E to Bessie S Mathers, Aug 1, borough of Avalon, 46x67, Hemlock st ..... $ 5,000

Hay J Walker to Anton J Band, May 14, '02, 10th ward, Allegheny, lots 575 and 576, Benton plan 260

Steel Samuel W to Peter Roneltanger, Aug 5, 6th ward, McKeesport, 30x120, Hayes st 4,500

Dahlman Sarah, nee, to John C Krupp, Jr, Aug 1, 21st ward, Pittsburgh, 28x100, Lima st 5,600

Dietrich Lucien S to Martin Kromhigel, Aug 1, Mifflin twp, 50x100, Conway ave 375

Twin City Imp Co to D W Darby, Aug 18, '02, 23d ward, Pittsburgh, 10x72, Blair st 2,200

Morris John to Andrew Wilson, Aug 21, 05, Wilkins twp, 48x100, Clugston ave 2,500

Percival John O to Max Mueller, Aug 1, Moon twp, 13 acres, Middletown weighed over 3,750

Combs Charles K to Oliver K Eaton, Aug 8, 9th ward, McKeesport, 25x100, Harrison ave 1,250

Picard Nicholas to Louis Breidegam, July 21, 27th ward, Pittsburgh, 24x100, Plus st 1,350

Aita Land Co to Cornelius O'Leary, Aug 12, '02, 30th ward, Pittsburgh, 40x87, Meridan ave 900

O'Connor Jane to George W Griest, July 13, Wilkins twp, 11 acres, Northern turnpike road 5,700

Bentel Annie S to Ellen C Lees, June 30, 22d ward, Pittsburgh, 50x100, Elysian ave.

House Harry C to H Hervey Thompson, Aug 8, 20th ward, Pittsburgh, 40x100, Cypress ave 2,225

Booth & Flinn, Limited, to Frangesco Biscglia, July 12, 32th ward, Pittsburgh, 28x80, Addison st 2,000

Benz John to Albert F Link, July 18, Baldwin twp, 50x200, Southern ave.

Link Albert F to Paul Patlert, July 18, Baldwin twp, 50x23, Southern ave 2,450

Illig Caroline to George B Lewis, Aug 14, borough of Avalon, 40x115, California ave 3,200

Allegheny Bellevue Land Co to Mathilda Benker, July 21, Ross twp, 30x120, Highland ave 700

Lewis John A to Harlet M Smith, Feb 26, 3d ward, Carnegie, 40x150, Washington st 1,000

South View Land Co to James Evans, March 1, Baldwin twp, 25x140, Miller ave 1,500

Best Albion E to Karl Kinkel, June 24, 13th ward, Allegheny, 21x80, Elbow st 1,200

Morgan James F to Davis McGuire, Aug 4, Chartiers twp, 130x162, Broadhead Forging road 1,050

Beach Earnest W et al to John L Walsh, June 1, 22d ward, Pittsburgh, 50x100, Bartlett st 6,513

Beach Earnest W et al to John H Glaninger, June 1, 22d ward, Pittsburgh, 80x100, Bartlett st 6,513

Pittsburgh Trust Co to Eliza H Hulem et al, July 27, 8th ward, Pittsburgh, 75x93, Race st 3,450

Knoxville Land Imp Co to Charles W Church, Aug 8, borough of Knoxville, 29x100, South Charles st 4,000

Reynolds John C to Robert McAfee, June 27, 11th ward, Allegheny, 90x140, California ave 5,760

Kuffer Edward to Jacob Hoffman, July 21, 24 ward, Tarentum, 40x100, Third ave 1,800

Cox Herbert L to Peter Klingler, July 5, 35th ward, Pittsburgh, 25x100, Climax st 1,600

Wallscoski Antonia to Cincent G Wallscoski, June 11, 11th ward, Allegheny, 25x51, alley 1,500

COKE TRADE STATIONARY.

Seems to Be Drifting With General Business Conditions—About 100,000 Tons Sold.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—The coke trade remains stationary and seems to be drifting with the general business conditions. There was in the neighborhood of 100,000 tons of coke contracted for during the last ten days. Some of it sold for less than $1 50 per ton, while others were more fortunate and landed contracts for standard furnace at $1 80. Some now want $1 75 for their coke. There are reports of higher prices in Pittsburgh and the valleys, but business continues to be done at prices somewhat lower than has been prevailing.

The summary of the regions shows 27,127 ovens in the region, 13,440 active and 9,987 idle. The estimated production was 155,079 tons, compared with 154,934 tons the previous week. The total number of ovens added to the active list did not exceed 100. Shipments were 8,359 cars, distributed as follows: To Pittsburgh and river points, 3,835 cars; to points west of Pittsburgh, 3,914 cars; to points east of the Connellsville region, 1,182 cars. This was a small gain compared with the shipments of last week. In the Masontown field there was an estimated production of 45,388 tons, compared with 54,068 tons the previous week.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Butter firm; street prices, extra creamery, 17½@18c; latter very high lots; official prices remain unchanged. Receipts, 6,854; factory, 1,854. Cheese, receipts, 3,629 packages; state full cream, small colored fancy, 8½c; fair to good, 7½@8c; small white fancy, 8½c; fair to good, 7½@8c; small white, good to fancy, 8c; fair to good, 7½@7¾c; large white fancy, 7¾c; fair to good, 7¼@7½c; large white, poor, 6¼@7c; skims, full to light, 1 @6c. Eggs quiet and unchanged. Receipts, 8,831 cases.

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 18@17½c; dairies, 15@16c. Eggs steady; at mark, cases included, 13@17c. Cheese steady, 7¼@8½c.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 12.—Butter steady, fair demand; extra western creamery, 18c; extra nearby prints, 19c; fancy ladle, good to choice quarry, nearby firsts, 16½c at mark; western firsts, 19@20c at mark. Cheese firm; good demand; New York full creams, choice to fancy, 8¾@8¾c; New York full creams, fair to good, 7½@8c.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Cotton futures closed steady: August, 10.06c; September, 9.85c; October, 9.88c; November, 9.62c; December, 9.65c; January, 9.67c; February, 9.66c; March, 9.70c; April, 9.75c; May, 9.77c. Spot quiet, 10 points decline; middling uplands, 10.35c; middling gulf, 10.80; sales, 467 bales.

Financial and Trade Notes.

WILMINGTON, DEL., Aug. 12.—In the United States district court today counsel for the creditors of the Diamond State Steel Company made application to Judge Bradford for the appointment of a receiver for the company. The claims aggregate about $270,000, but the company claims that it can meet all obligations.

SOUTH BEND, IND., Aug. 12.—Walter C. Nelson, president of the Northern Traction Company, today filed here a mortgage of $1,500,000 to the Knickerbocker Trust Company of New York and Benjamin L. Allen, New York, co-trustee, to cover a proposed electric car line to extend from South Bend to Chicago through New Carlisle, La Porte, Valparaiso and Hammond, Ind.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $856,000; government receipts from internal revenue, $668,555; customs, $1,240,484; miscellaneous, $741,881; expenditures, $2,340,000.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—The National City bank has cancelled the entire engagement of $2,000,000 in gold bars, which were for shipment to Europe.

Railroad Notes.

S. B. Liggett, secretary of the Pennsylvania lines, left last night for Atlantic City.

H. B. Kooser, division freight agent of the Northern Pacific at Denver, Col., is among the visitors in this city.

E. D. Comstock, general passenger agent of the Bessemer & Lake Erie, says the travel to Conneaut lakes is heavier this season than any previous year.

Fred B. Sankey, traveling passenger agent of the Pennsylvania lines, has contracted for a carload of Pittsburgh passengers from Tuscarawas county, O., to Boston.

The P. & L. E. has announced that W. H. Prescott of the telegraph department has been appointed agent at Gibsonton in place of H. W. Wick, transferred to Wampum as successor to E. R. Shadow.

The Moki Indians on the reservation at Aralbi, Ariz., will give their annual snake dance on August 20. For this occasion the Santa Fe has announced a reduced rate to Winslow, at which point those desiring to see the dance leave the main line.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS.

Friday, August 12, 1904.

Cattle—Supply light, market slow; choice, 1,400 to 1,600 lbs, $5 80@6 00; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs, $5 50@5 75; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs, $5 20@5 40; tidy butchers, 1,050 to 1,150 lbs, $4 90@5 15; fair, 900 to 1,000 lbs, $4 50@4 75; common, 700 to 800 lbs, $3 00@3 60; roughs, 1,000 to 1,220 lbs, $3 75@4 25; heifers, 700 to 1,000 lbs, $3 75@4 50; common to good cows, $2 00@3 00; good fresh cows and springers, $35@40; common to fair, $15@30.

Sheep and lambs—Supply light and market dull; prime wethers, 95 to 100 lbs, $4 10@4 25; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs, $3 90@4 10; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs, $3 25@3 65; culls and common, $1 50@2 00; spring lambs, $5 00@5 50; veal calves, $6 00@6 50; heavy and thin, $3 50@4 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 30 double decks; market dull and prices 15 to 20c lower; prime heavy, $5 40; medium and heavy Yorkers, $5 50; light Yorkers, $5 40@5 45; pigs, $5 00@5 05; roughs, $4 00@4 70; stags, $3 00@3 50.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Cattle—Receipts 2,000 head; market steady; good to prime steers, $5 00@6 00; poor to medium, $3 75@4 90; stockers and feeders, $2 00@4 00; cows, $1 25@4 00; heifers, $2@4 75; canners, $1 25@2 40; bulls, $2 00@4 00; calves, $2 50@6 00; Texas fed steers, $3 00@4 00; western steers, $3 50@4 85.

Hogs—Receipts 25,000 head; market 15@20c lower; mixed and butchers, $5 00@5 30; good to choice heavy, $5 00@5 20; rough heavy, $4 75@4 90; light, $5 10@5 35; bulk of sales, $5 00@5 25.

Sheep—Receipts 7,000 head; market steady; good to choice wethers, $3 90@4 15; fair to choice mixed, $3 75@3 90; native lambs, $4 75@6 00.

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,100 head, including 1,200 head southerns; market steady to 10c higher; choice export and dressed beef steers, $5 00@5 75; fair to good, $3 75@4 75; western fed steers, $3 75@5 25; stockers and feeders, $2 30@4 25; southern steers, $2 75@4 00; southern cows, $1 50@3 25; native cows, $1 75@4 00; native heifers, $2 50@4 75; bulls, $2 25@3 50; calves, $2 50@4 75. Hogs—Receipts, 6,800 head; market 5c lower; top, $5 10; bulk of sales, $4 85@5 00; heavy, $4 85@4 95; packers, $4 85@5 00; pigs and lights, $4 75@5 10. Sheep—Receipts, 3,000 head; market steady to weak; native lambs, $4 00@4 90; native wethers, $3 75@4 25; native ewes, $3 00@3 75; native lambs, $4 00@6 00; western yearlings, $3 75@4 50; western steers, $3 90@4 90; stockers and feeders, $2 50@3 50.

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,339 head; steers entirely; generally firm to a shade higher; bulls strong, fat cows firm, others steady; steers, $4 30@6 00; oxen, $4 00; bulls, $2 50@4 40; cows, $1 70@3 75. Shipments tomorrow, 1,030 cattle and 40 sheep. Calves—Receipts, 1,200 head; veals 25c lower; other calves almost unsalable. Veals, $4 00@6 75; tops, $7 00; westerns, $4 50; buttermilks, $3 00; mixed calves, $5 50. Dressed calves lower; city dressed veals, 8c to 11c a lb; country dressed, 7c to 10c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6,240; sheep barely steady, good lambs, 25c off; others, 35c to 50c lower, sheep, $2 50@4 00; culls, $1 50@2 25; lambs, $4 75@6 75. Hogs—Receipts, 2,041 head; market 20@30c lower; state hogs, $5 80@6 00; top price, $6 10.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 12.—Hogs lower; butchers, $5 00@5 42½; common, $3 75@4 20. Cattle active; fair to good, shippers, $4 15@5 00; common, $2 00@3 50. Sheep steady, $1 00@3 75; lambs, $3 00@5 50.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
August 11	105,205	August 10	84,343
Previously	711,462	Previously	732,626
Total	816,667	Total	816,969
Daily avg....	74,151	Daily avg....	81,696

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
August 11	54,804	August 10	75,383
Previously	621,944	Previously	561,788
Total	686,848	Total	637,171
Daily avg....	62,449	Daily avg....	63,717

The Oil Market.

The Standard quotes credit balances in the various fields as follows: Pennsylvania, $1 50; Cabell, $1 50; Thoma, $1 65; Corning, $1 30; New Castle, $1 37; North Lima, $1 00; South Lima and Indiana, 95c; Somerset, 95c; Ragian, 68c. The Producers and Refiners Oil Company quotes Pennsylvania crude at $1 50.

OIL CITY, Aug. 12.—Credit balances, $1 50; certificates, no bid. Shipments, Pennsylvania oil, 105,208 bbls; average, 74,234 bbls; runs, 85,343 bbls; average, 81,696 bbls; shipments, Lima oil, 54,804 bbls; average, 62,440 bbls; runs, 75,383 bbls; average, 63,716 bbls.

TOLEDO, O., Aug. 12.—North Lima, $1 60; South Lima and Indiana, 95c.

CORN AND CANTALOUPES GLUTTED THE MARKET

Tomatoes Are Cheaper—Blackberries Go Up—Big Receipts of Oats and Market Slow.

Big supplies of corn and cantaloupes glutted the produce market yesterday. Home-grown corn is arriving in quantities that push the prices down rapidly and make it hard to clean up the stock at all. Most of it is of excellent quality and is now selling at from 12 cents a dozen. Cantaloupes sold yesterday as low as 25 cents a basket and large stocks were seen on every corner. Much of the stock arriving was overripe, the buyers in good condition, as it has been too long in finding sale.

Tomatoes fell off about 16 cents a basket. Jersey stock is practically out of market. Lima beans were also quoted lower. Sweet potatoes dropped 50 cents a barrel. Blackberries were advanced 1 cent a quart or 25 cents a bushel. Prices of other produce remained stationary.

The grocery market was unchanged. Flour is still, in the opinion of many dealers, bound to go up again next week, but the uncertainty as to the top price for wheat is holding quotations level. Sugar is very firm in market and would be advanced, it is said, were it not for local conditions. The market for canned goods is quiet.

The first car of rye arrived in market yesterday. No quotations have been announced, but it is reported worth from 77 to 78 cents. Owing to the large supply and the market is slow, the stock being much in excess of the demand now. Four cars were sold yesterday at 58.5 cents, which is regarded as an average figure.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania lines, 6 cars hay, 32 cars oats, 3 cars corn, 10 cars straw, 1 car meal; Baltimore & Ohio, 2 cars hay, 1 car oats, 2 cars corn and oats; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 1 car hay, 1 car oats, 1 car rye.

Hay, No. 1 timothy	$13.50@13.25	White middlings, No. 1 ton	$23.50@24.00
New No. 1 timothy	$13.50@12.00	No. 2 mid-	No. 2 mid-
Old No. 2	$11.50@12.00	dlings	$22.00@23.50
No. 1 clov	$11.00@11.50	No. 1 mix	$21.00@22.00
No. 1 mix	$11.00@11.50	Wheat, No. 2 red	87@88c
Loose from wagon	$14.00@16.00	Corn, No. 2 yellow	
Straw, oat	$8.00@8.50	shelled	60½@60c
do wheat	$8.00@8.50	High mix	59@60c
Rye	$11.00@11.50	No. 3 mix	58@59c
Old oats, No. 2 white	45½@45c	No. 2 yellow ear	63@65c
do No. 2	44½@45c	do No. 3	62@65c
do No. 4	42½@43c	Beans, Navy, choice H. P.	$1.80@1.90
		Red kidney	$3.25@3.50
		Cal. lima, lb	4½@5¼c
		Peas, dried yellow, bu	$1.20@1.25
		do split, lb	4@4c
		do marrowfat, bu	$2.00@2.10
		Oil, carbon, 110 deg	11¾c
		do headlight	12¾c
		do water white	13c
		do Ohio W. W. 150 deg	12¾c
		do Elaine	16c
		do special brands	26@43c
		Rice, ex-fancy head, lb	6@6½c
		do fancy Japan	4@4½c
		do choice Carolina	5¼@5½c
		Salt, No. 1 bbl	$1.00
		do No. 1 extra	$1.10
		do gran. rock	85c
		do rocket	$1.15@1.25
		do dairy	$1.30
		Lentils, fancy, "G.O." lb	4½c
		do	4½c

GROCERIES.

Flour		do 2-lb carton	5.55c
Fancy spg. patent, quarters, in paper	$5.80@5.85	do 3-lb bags	5.35c
First clears	$5.60@3.70	do powdered	5.35c
Second clears	$3.60@3.70	do pow'd xxxx	5.30c
Fancy winter patent	$5.55@5.60	do cut loaf	5.55c
Straight win	5.40@5.45	do cubes	5.45c
Rye	$4.30@4.35	do cof. A	5.00@5.05c
Graham	$4.65@4.75	No. 1 yellow	5.05c
Cornmeal	$2.00@2.10	No. 2 yellow	4.95c
Rolled oats, bbl	$5.40	No. 3 yellow	4.75c
do bag	$2.85	Beans, Navy, choice H. P.	$1.80@1.90
Roasted Coffee.		Red kidney	$3.25@3.50
Rio	13@15c	Cal. lima, lb	4½@5¼c
Santos	22@25c	Peas, dried yellow, bu	$1.20@1.25
Maracaibo	15¼@16c	do split, lb	4@4c
Peaberry	17¼@18c	do marrowfat	$2.00@2.10
Golden Rio	14½@15c	Oil, carbon, 110 deg	11¾c
Caracas	16@19½c	do headlight	12¾c
Standard	17½c	do water white	13c
pkgs	$11.55@12.05	do Ohio W. W. 150 deg	12¾c
High grade	$17.80@19.00	do Elaine	16c
Molasses, fancy	25@33c	do special brands	26@43c
New Orleans	25@33c	Rice, ex-fancy head, lb	6@6½c
do choice	31@34c	do fancy Japan	4@4½c
do open kettle	37@39c	do choice Carolina	5¼@5½c
Syrup.		Salt, No. 1 bbl	$1.00
Fancy syrups	28@30c	do No. 1 extra	$1.10
Maple syrup, gal	$1.00	do gran. rock	85c
Sug. and cane	24@25c	do rocket	$1.15@1.25
Prime	24@25c	do dairy	$1.30
½-lb cans, doz	$1.10	Lentils, fancy, "G.O." lb	4½c
1-lb cans, doz	$1.10	do	4½c
5-lb cans, doz	$1.85		
10-lb cans, doz	$3.40		
Maple, gal	$2.75@3.00		
Oatmeal, bbl	$5.00		
do kegs	$2.95		
Sugar, sta. gran	5.20c		
do bags	5.10c		

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie	$1.10	Raspberries	$5@5c
do pie, gal	$2.80@3.00	Gooseberries	$5@60c
do California		Tomatoes, fancy	$1.15@1.50
L. C.	$1.85@2.25	do standard	7½@82½c
do Mary-land	$1.45@1.65	do 2-lb	$2.50@2.75
do California		Succotash, 1-lb cans	$1.25@1.40
Y. F.	$1.80@2.00		

PROVISIONS.

Hams.		Bacon.	
18 lbs and up	12¼c	Breakfast bacon,	
Over 14 to 18 lbs	11¾c	back strips	16¼c
Over 10 to 14 lbs	11¾c	Dry salt sides, extra short clears	8¼c
10 lbs and under	11¾c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	8¾c
Skinned	13½c	Boneless boiled,	20¢
Boneless boiled,	20¢	do 16 to 20 lbs	9c
California	9¼c	do under 16 lbs	9c
Shoulders, N. Y.	9¼c	Dry salt smoked sides extra	
do skinned	9¼c	short clears	9½c
Ribs, 12 to 20 lbs	11¼c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs	9½c
do 10 to 12 lbs	10½c	do 16 to 20 lbs	10c
do back strips	10¾c	do under 16 lbs	10c
do cleers, 8 to 10 lbs	11¾c	Lard, pure, tierces	7¼c
Stringless	11¾c		

NUTS.

Filberts	12@13c	Shellbarks, bu	$1.75@2.00
Eng. walnuts	12@13c	Pecans	10c
S. S. almonds	15c	Peanuts, fancy, roasted	$1.80
Tarr. almonds	16c	do choice	$1.30
Mixed	10c		
Brazil	9@9c		
Dried Italian chestnuts	7c		

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.		do Ohio	22@24c
Prints	20@20½c	Swiss	12@12½c
Tubs	19@19½c	do Wis. Swiss	14@15½c
Ohio cream	17@18c	do block	13@14c
Dairy	11½@12c	do imported	27@27½c
Country roll	11½@12c	do Limberger	9c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream	9¼@9½c	do 5-lb brick	11@12c
do Ohio cream	8½@8½c	Eggs, selected	21c
do ¾ cream, new	7¼@7¾c	do candled	19@20c
		do at mark	17@18c

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy	8c	Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs	9c
do light, over 60 lbs and cows, all weights	7c	do No. 2	8c
No. 1 green bulls	6c	Cows and light calfskin, No. 1	10c

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messinas	$3.50@4.00	do California, per box	65@75c
do California	$2.50@3.00	10-lb b'skets	15@20c
Oranges, navel	$3.50@4.00	20-lb b'skets	20@25c
do St. Michaels, fancy	$4.00@4.50	Plums, 5-lb baskets	10@12c
Late Valencias	$4.00@4.50	10-lb b'skets	15@20c
Cocoanuts, bags	$2.75@3.00	20-lb b'skets	25@30c
Figs, cartons	75@90c	California plums	$1.15@1.25
Bananas	$1.50@2.00	Currants, qt	10@11c
do 2nds	$1.25@1.50	do 10-lb bas-kets	60@65c
Pineapples, crate	$4.00@4.50	do black, qt	10@11c
Grapes, California, crates	$1.50	Limes, per 100	75c@$1.00
Grape fruit	$5.00@5.50	Peaches, per crate, Fancy	$1.50@1.75
Apples, bu	75@80c	Choice	$1.00@1.25
do ½ bu	40@50c	do 10-lb b'skets	15@20c
do bbl	$2.50@2.75	20-lb b'skets	30@35c
Peaches, new clings, 6-basket carriers	50@75c	Bartletts, bbls	$3.75@4.00
do Elbertas	$1.00@1.25	bu	$1.25@1.50

SALES OF DECIDUOUS FRUITS.

Two cars California deciduous fruits sold here today:

569 boxes Bartlett pears.....$1.10@1.75
42 boxes B. Hardy pears.....85c@$1.00
32 crates Fellenberg prunes.....$1.05@1.25
75 crates Gros prunes.....65c@$1.35
17 crates German prunes.....$1.40
10 crates Duchess pears.....$1.25
235 crates Bradshaw plums.....$1.00@1.50
130 crates egg plums.....$1.00@1.30
110 crates Hancock plums.....70c@$1.00
65 boxes Elberta peaches.....85c@$1.50

The Wool Market.

BOSTON, MASS., Aug. 12.—The Commercial Bulletin tomorrow will say of the wool market:

The wool market is quiet, but a fair volume of new business has been closed during the week and there is reported a few good sized lines of Montana, Idaho and other territory in the original bags. Small lots of territory and fleeces have sold with fair freedom. Buyers keep in close touch with the market, and a daily interest is being shown. Leading houses say that they have sold between 50 and 60 per cent of all the wool they have coming to them from the 1904 clip. The western country markets are closely cleaned, the last fair transaction in Ohio being on Boston account at 34 cents for fine and 26 cents for unwashed, the latter running well to medium. This practically cleans up that state and there is little left in the central west or in the large producing states of the far west. St. Louis, Chicago and Philadelphia are carrying much lighter stocks than last year. The situation here and abroad is very strong. Bullish advices are received from all foreign sources.

The shipments of wool from Boston to date from December 31, 1903, according to the same authority, are 133,869,709 pounds, against 140,748,259 pounds at the same time last year. The receipts to date are 219,067,744 pounds, against 174,216,324 pounds for the same period last year.

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Aug. 12.—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing. Rosin firm, $2 25 bid. Tar firm, $1 70. Crude turpentine firm, $2 25, $3 25 and $4 00.

SAVANNAH, GA., Aug. 12.—Turpentine firm, 53½c. Rosin firm; A, B, C, $2 30; D, $2 35; E, $2 40; F, $2 45; G, $2 50; H, $2 70; I, $3 00; K, $3 25; M, $3 85; N, $4 00; WG, $4 25; WW, $4 40.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Aug. 12.—Turpentine firm, 53c. Rosin firm.

LONGS FLOOD MARKET; WHEAT TURNS TURTLE

September Loses 3¼ of Its Recent Grains in the Deluge.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Wheat prices nearly turned turtle today under a tidal wave of long wheat. September had lost 3¼@3¾c of its advance washed away in the deluge. At the close of trading that option showed a net loss of 2¾c, as compared with yesterday's final figures.

Corn is down ¼@⅝c. Oats are off ⅜c. Provisions vary from 5c to 25c decline.

News from the northwest was less suggestive of utter ruin to the growing wheat crop than any time for a week past. The market almost from the start appeared to be struggling under a heavy load of long wheat. Sentiment at the immediate opening wavered between confidence and suspicion of the new outlook with a leaning toward the latter. Initial bids for September at $1 08¾@1 09¼ were unchanged to ⅜c higher. Then the price began to suffer. There were many traders who believed the grain cheap at the fractional declines that ensued and nearly every reverse was followed by a partial recovery. The weight of the load of long wheat, however, was too much for the supporters of the market. September step values settled back until September was down to $1 01@1 01¼.

Cash wheat was dull, the bulk only operated to steady the tone and bring about a shade of improvement in price. September closed almost on the bottom, the latest sales being at $1 01¼.

Bradstreet's reports wheat and flour exports for the week of 1,282,000 bushels, against 1,979,000 bushels a week ago and 3,419,000 bushels last year.

Clearances of wheat and flour today were equal to 83,800 bushels. Primary receipts were 282,000 bushels larger than a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 162 cars, against 222 last week and 224 a year ago.

Corn was affected by the favorable character of the weather, which caused improvement both as to temperature and precipitation. September at the outset nevertheless showed the uplifting influence of light receipts, which were reported more than sufficient for future requirements. Firm wheat prices at the outset also helped. September, the leading option, starting unchanged to ⅛c higher, advanced on free covering to 5c. With the setback in wheat, however, quantities of long corn came out and prices declined. September corn closed a shade above the bottom at 58¾@59¼c. Local receipts were 134 cars.

Oats eventually suffered in sympathy with the easier tone of wheat, although the market maintained an undertone of confidence, as evidenced by smaller offerings on the decline. September opened firm with a gain of ¾c at 34¾c, ta

TURKEY AGAIN MAKES PROMISE

Minister Leishman Is Assured That an Answer Is Being Prepared.

FLEET ARRIVES AT SMYRNA

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., AUG. 12.

It was officially announced at the state department today that there was reason to believe the entire Turkish situation would be satisfactorily settled by Monday. Orders have been sent to Rear Admiral Jewell to hold the cruisers Olympia, Baltimore and Cleveland, comprising the European fleet at Smyrna, in obedience to the orders of Minister Leishman. The squadron arrived there this morning. The crisis which has quite disturbed the administration and caused not a little apprehension in Europe, seems about to end peaceably.

Minister Leishman yesterday cabled the state department that he had been informed by an under secretary of the Turkish foreign office that an answer was being prepared to the requests he made on the sultan two weeks ago for better treatment of American educational and religious institutions in the Ottoman empire and for recognition of the diplomas of American professional schools on equal basis with those of Europe.

It was the absence of any reply whatever, although response had been repeatedly promised, which angered Secretary Hay and resulted in the dispatch of the European fleet to make a naval demonstration in Turkish waters.

It is understood that Minister Leishman has been advised of the general tenor of the reply the porte desires to make to these requests and that he has cabled this to the state department and that it is not entirely satisfactory. Minister Leishman has been instructed to press the Turkish foreign office closely for further concessions. It is expected that the time between now and Monday will be occupied by further exchange of views.

Meanwhile the European fleet will remain at Smyrna. Should the negotiations again come to the intolerable point they recently occupied it will be possible for the state department to quickly carry out its original intention to display displeasure by withdrawing Minister Leishman from Constantinople and severing diplomatic relations with Turkey.

CHECKWEIGHMAN DISPUTE STILL REMAINS UNSETTLED

Conciliation Board Refers Other Questions to Umpire—15,000 Men to Be Idle a Week.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WILKESBARRE, PA., Aug. 12.—A meeting of the board of conciliation was held in this city today with all members present except R. C. Luther.

The most important matter, the question of submitting the checkweighman-check docking question to Judge Gray, according to the proposition which the operators presented at the meeting of August 6, was taken up first. President Nichols, in behalf of the miners, presented a counter-proposition, asking that Judge Gray be asked to give an interpretation of the whole of Section 5 of the award of the commission. The board deadlocked over other grievances and they were referred to the umpire.

At the afternoon session the operators submitted an amendment to their first proposition regarding the checkweighman controversy, but neither side would accept the other's proposed solution, and the disputed point was taken up again. It was decided that the next meeting of the board be held in the office of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company at New York August 15, at which time they will meet Umpire Wright, who has recently been appointed by Judge Gray, beginning next Monday, the 21 mines of the Lehigh Valley Coal Company will suspend operations for a week. Fifteen thousand men will be idle.

NAN PATTERSON MAY BE IMPRISONED FOR LIFE

Woman Is Held at the Tombs and no Effort Made to Give Her a Trial.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—Imprisonment for life without a trial appears to be Nan Patterson's fate.

Assistant District Attorney Rand declares he will not place her on trial for the murder of "Caesar" Young until Mr. and Mrs. J. Morgan Smith, her brother-in-law and sister, surrender themselves. As there is no probability of the Smiths ever returning to New York, Nan Patterson must remain in the tombs.

Henry W. Unger, counsel for Nan Patterson, will move tomorrow before Presiding Judge Newburger that the woman be given her liberty on her own recognizance pending the trial of the case, on the ground that a full term of court has elapsed since the return of the indictment against her, in which she might have been tried, and that no motion for trial has been made.

ALEXANDER DODDS.

SNAKES USED FOR CLUBS IN RIOT AT CENTENNIAL

COUDERSPORT, PA., Aug. 12.—(Special.)—The celebration of the Potter county centennial ended in a riot tonight, in which many were badly bruised. The snake charmers were responsible for starting the fight. Several of them were on a platform handling large reptiles, when several woodsmen joined the spectators. The snake charmers struck the woodsmen in the face with the tails of the reptiles and instantly the charmers and snakes were pushed off the platform on to the ground and the fight started. The reptiles were used as clubs until the charmers were rescued by the police.

SAVED FROM THE WRECK BY MISSING A TRAIN

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 12.—(Special.) F. Joseph Miller of this city and William Rosenbach of Chester had gone from Chicago to Denver, and from there intended going to Pueblo. On their way to the station a delay caused them to miss the train, which was afterwards wrecked near Pueblo last Monday. Mrs. Miller this morning received a letter from her son, written in St. Louis, in which he said that he and Rosenbach left Denver on the second train following the one wrecked.

ANTHRACITE COAL OUTPUT WILL BE FURTHER CURTAILED

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 12.—(Special.) On account of the small demand for steam and domestic sizes, there will be further curtailment in the production of anthracite coal during the last week of this month and the first half of September. These sizes have been piling up for some time, and there is now little room for them without encroaching upon space reserved for other coal.

George Westinghouse, Jr., at Lenox.

LENOX, MASS., Aug. 12.—Mr. George Westinghouse, Jr., returned to Erskine Park today from his European trip. Mr. George Westinghouse met their son in New York and returned with him.

Naturalization Convention Signed.

STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN, Aug. 12.—An agreement convention between Sweden Norway and Great Britain was signed today.

Named for Indiana, Pa.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—(Special.)—Postmaster General Payne today announced the appointment of J. C. McMeister for Indiana, Pa.

BRYAN WILL NOT GET THE $50,000

Connecticut Supreme Court of Errors Decides Bennett Will Contest.

WIDOW'S PLEA IS SUSTAINED

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Aug. 12.—William Jennings Bryan and family will not receive the bequest of $50,000 which Philo Sherman Bennett, his friend, left him. The supreme court of errors of Connecticut today decided in an opinion by Chief Justice David Torrance and the other four justices concurring, that there was no error either in the ruling by Judge L. W. Cleveland in refusing to probate the sealed letter to which reference was made in the will, nor in the rulings of Judge Edwin B. Gager and the jury's verdict in the superior court.

Mr. Bryan's counsel set up the claim that the sealed letter, although an eccentric document, must be construed as part of the will itself, inasmuch as specific reference to it was made in one section of the testamentary document.

It was shown by counsel for Mrs. Grace Imogene Bennett, the widow, who contested the Bryan bequest, that as the will was already in existence when the sealed letter was written, instructing Mrs. Bennett to give Mr. Bryan $25,000 for himself, $10,000 for Mrs. Bryan and $5,000 to each of their three children, the will did not identify the sealed letter found in a safe deposit vault as an incorporated document. That being the vital point at issue, the court remarks:

"We know of no case, and the able and helpful briefs filed in this case, have referred to none, where a reference like the one here has been held to incorporate into the will some document."

The paragraph of Mr. Bennett's will on which the fight was made is as follows:

"I give and bequeath unto my wife, Grace Imogene Bennett, the sum of $50,000 in trust, however, for the purposes set forth in a sealed letter which will be found with this will."

The letter referred to in this clause is the one directing Mrs. Bennett to turn over the specified $50,000 to Mr. Bryan. On the trial of the case it developed that this letter was drawn up 10 days before the date of the actual will at Bryan's home in Nebraska. It was typewritten at that time and afterward copied by Mr. Bennett, sealed in an envelope and addressed: "To be read only by Mrs. Bennett and her alone after my death. P. S. Bennett."

STANDARDS FOR BOYS.

Swift Mission Bicycle and the Providence Military Association Were Winners at St. Louis.

This evening at 7 o'clock the Swift Mission Brigade, Major E. M. McCombs commanding, will be presented with the standard the organization won while in camp recently at the Louisiana Purchase exposition, in St. Louis. The ceremony will take place on Arch street, Allegheny, in front of the First Presbyterian church, to which the brigade is attached. The organization will be paraded in full strength with its band, and after the standard has been formally placed in its keeping, will be marched to Montgomery avenue where it will be reviewed. The review will take place near Sandusky street.

Subsequently the brigade will proceed to the Alleghany diamond and from there it will escort Post 128 of the Grand Army of the Republic to the depot on its way to the national encampment of the Grand Army at Boston, Mass.

Another local church military organization won a banner at the St. Louis exposition yesterday. A telegram from Maj. Frank Burkhart last night said his battalion would leave for home last night with the handsome flag they won in the competitive drill on the exposition grounds. The command is the Providence Military association, composed of the boys of the Providence Presbyterian church in Liberty avenue, Allegheny.

RECEIVER IS APPOINTED FOR THE LEGION OF HONOR

BOSTON, Aug. 12.—Henry A. Wyman was today appointed permanent receiver of the supreme council of the American Legion of Honor, a beneficiary organization, with headquarters in this city. The insurance commissioners claimed that the condition of the organization was such as to render its continuance hazardous. Commissioner Cutting said today that there is a deficiency of $10,000 in the organization's financial standing, and that death claims aggregating $200,000 remained unpaid.

FILIPINOS AT THE FAIR RECOVER FROM SMALLPOX

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 12.—The St. Louis board of health has decided to present a bill for $2,000 to the government for the maintenance of the Filipinos housed at the quarantine hospital since July 5. The Filipinos were taken to the hospital to be treated for smallpox. All but two, who died, have recovered sufficiently to be returned to the reservation on the World's fair grounds. Thirty-one Filipinos were treated by the city.

WARRING G. A. R. FACTIONS WILL NOT TRAVEL TOGETHER

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 12.—Delegates of the G. A. R. to the Boston encampment began leaving today. There are two factions in the jurisdiction of the local commander, and the differences are so wide that the delegates decided to go on different trains. Col. Keating, the ranking officer here, has left with a party of 45, and Surveyor of the Port Lewis will take a large delegation, largely made up of colored members of the army, their families and friends.

DOWIE ISOLATES HIS VICTIMS OF SMALLPOX

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Aug. 12.—The cases of smallpox at Zion City have been pronounced very mild in a report sent to the state board of health today by Dr. J. H. Blanks, acting health inspector of Zion City. Dr. Blanks says none of the patients is confined to bed, and that all are in an isolation hospital two miles from the inhabited portions of the city.

Gets Five-Year Sentence.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 12.—Robert B. Taylor, formerly interest clerk in the Citizens National bank of New York city, who pleaded guilty to the charge of uttering forged bank notes and passing them, was today sentenced in the United States district court to pay a fine of $1 and serve five years' imprisonment.

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RECTOR ARRESTED BY GOVERNMENT

New York Minister Is Charged With Violation of the Immigration Laws.

HAD A ROMANTIC HISTORY

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Aug. 12.

The Rev. Alfred Burleigh-Hart, rector of St. Mary Magdalen church of Schenck avenue, was arrested on a warrant ordered by the secretary of commerce and labor, on the charge of being in the United States in violation of the immigration laws.

Immigrant Inspector Philip Biglein went to the rectory in Brooklyn, served the warrant and took the clergyman to Ellis Island. The evidence of the United States had not been completed, but upon his arrival at the island he had a special hearing by the executive officers, and his statement, together with the evidence of the government, was forwarded to the secretary last night. He will be held, pending a decision in the case by the Washington authorities.

The clergyman came to this country about a year ago, and later became rector of the parish over which he now presides. It is said that he has had a romantic history. From a waif in Whitechapel, London, he was taken by a philanthropic woman and supported through his school life, which terminated with degrees from Oxford university and his admission to the ministry.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—The arrest of Alfred Burleigh-Hart was ordered on allegations filed with the immigration authorities that he had been convicted in England of a crime involving moral turpitude. The officials of the immigration service here have not been advised yet as to the evidence against Hart, but if the allegations against him are well founded he could not be admitted to this country under the law.

NEW ARBITRATION PLAN WILL BE TRIED IN GOTHAM

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Aug. 12.—Before final adjournment the convention of the Structural Building Trades' alliance decided that its board of governors would hereafter be guided in its dealings with labor disputes by an arbitration plan that contemplates agreements between contractors or contractors' associations, and the international officers of labor unions, somewhat similar to the agreements that are made between the coal mine operators and the United Mine Workers. The first application of the arbitration scheme will be made, if possible, in New York, where the board of governors of the Structural Buildings Trades alliance will attempt to aid in the settlement of the present controversy.

CHICAGO COUNTERFEITERS ARE CAUGHT RED-HANDED

CHICAGO, Aug. 12.—Eight men who are charged with making spurious coin were arrested by federal authorities today in a raid on an alleged counterfeiting den in a basement. Seven of the eight men were at work making coins of counterfeit dollars, half dollars, quarters and dimes when confronted with the weapons of the raiders, and were taken into custody. Two pots of metal were on a stove, and were confiscated with plaster of paris casts on a table about which the men were working. Several dies of counterfeit money were taken away by the authorities for evidence, and one of the men who had escaped was arrested later.

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SEABOARD AIR LINE STAYS IN OLD HANDS

New Atlanta and Birmingham Line Will Be in Operation in Less Than Ninety Days.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Aug. 12.—John S. Williams, chairman of the board of directors of the Seaboard Air Line, today made the following statement:

"The option given August 11, 1903, to Messrs. Ladenburg, Thalman & Company on a large block of the seaboard stock, owned by Messrs. J. S. Williams & Son of Richmond and Messrs. J. W. Middendorf & Co. of Baltimore expired last night. These two firms control more than $15,000,000 of Seaboard stock, or more than one-fourth of the entire issue, and with their friends and associates hold the majority.

"The first and second divisions of the Atlanta and Birmingham line are practically completed, and the line will probably be opened from Atlanta to Pell City, 30 miles from Birmingham, within a week. The entire line from Atlanta to Birmingham should be in operation in less than 90 days. The line will then become a source of large income to the Seaboard system."

The statement of Mr. Williams followed a day of active trading in the Seaboard stock on the curb market, in which the stock had advanced sharply.

FATHER MATTHEW SOCIETY MAY SECEDE FROM UNION

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 12.—Delegates to the national convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence union, though having completed the business for which they met here, still maintain much interest in the defeated proposition to change the constitution so as to make it unnecessary for all societies to enter the national body through the state organization. William O'Brien, supreme grand knight of the Knights of Father Matthews, who are fighting for the change, said that he believes the society will unanimously vote to secede from the union.

ARMY OF PHILIPPINES ELECTS ITS OFFICERS

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 12.—Officers of the National Society of the Army of the Philippines were elected today as follows: President, Gen. Wilder Metcalf; vice presidents, Col. James W. Pope, Capt. Charles E. Locke, Capt. H. A. Crow, Gen. J. Franklin Bell, Gen. A. T. Frost and Col Clarence R. Edwards; secretary, T. T. Duncan; treasurer, F. E. Krembs; chaplain, the Rev. James Mailey. Chicago was selected as the next place of meeting.

PHILANTHROPIC PHYSICIAN ABANDONS PRIVATE PRACTICE GIVES SERVICES FREE

HIS MYSTERIOUS POWER WORKS MIRACLES OF HEALING

Believing It His Duty to God and Man to Help All Who Stand in Need, He Offers to Give Free Treatment to the Sick and Afflicted.

Strange Story of Woman—Says This Wonder Worker Made Heart Beat Again in Her Body When Prepared for the Grave.

Panopathic Professor's Startling Statement—No Disease He May Not Cure.

Heals Hopeless Invalids of Diseases Pronounced Incurable and Restores Life and Health To Those Given Up To Death By Doctors.

Cures Patients In Their Own Homes Hundreds of Miles Away as Easily as Though They Called in Person. Offers To Heal Suffering Men and Women Doctors and Drugs Cannot Cure.

New York, Aug. 12.—Special Correspondence.—Dr. William Wallace Hadley, the eminent scientist and Professor of Panopathy and Physiactrics, of this city, has announced that he has abandoned his large and lucrative private practice, and will hereafter give his services free of charge for the treatment and cure of chronic cases of disease pronounced hopeless by physicians. He is quoted as saying that he feels it his religious duty to help the sick and afflicted independent of any reward.

This decision, amazing in this day and age of money getting madness, is all the more remarkable when one remembers this man's great reputation as a scientific wizard and his phenomenal success in healing when all others fail. Times without number he has taken men and women given up to death by doctors, and restored them to life and health in a short a time and in such a marvelous manner that he has aroused widespread wonder and admiration among all classes of people who are aware of the facts.

So far no satisfactory explanation has been given of Dr. Hadley's mysterious control over disease of all kinds and his apparent ability to overcome death, nor of the means by which he has made the almost miraculous cures that stand to his credit, proclaiming him a healer of healers. He seems to have a power over human life and the ills that attack it not given to ordinary mortals. He cures in the face of such apparent impossibilities that no one could be blamed for thinking him possessed of supernatural gifts, although he disclaims anything more than a knowledge of the secret of life, a peculiar understanding of the causes of disease and death, and a complete grasp of their prevention and cure. In cases where physicians, surgeons and specialists abandon hope and are at their wits' end to know what to do, he remains calm, confident and masterful, freeing the patient of pain and disease almost as easily as he would remove a stain from a piece of cloth.

Naturally a modest, unassuming man, with a reputation for never claiming more than he can do, he yet makes the startling statement that there is no disease he may not cure, no case so bad but that he has absolute confidence in his ability to restore health and strength. Evidence that this is no more than the literal truth is given by one of his patients, a Mrs Hattie McCulley, of San Pedro, Cal., who asserts that he revived the vital spark in her body when she was prepared for the grave; that at the end of a long siege of illness due to a complication of diseases her body felt lifeless, and doctors said that the end had come, but that Dr. Hadley made her heart beat again, and the blood flow through her veins once more and warmth return to her wasted body. She naturally looks upon her restoration to life and health as passing understanding, and calls Dr. Hadley "a worker of miracles that rival those of the prophets.' Another instance was that of a Mrs. M. Worthington, of Egg Harbor, N. J., a woman who had been an invalid for twenty-five years, many long months bedridden in hospitals, and who had been pronounced hopelessly incurable and given up to death by doctors. She was so completely prostrated from disease, pain and weakness that she looked like a corpse and felt like one when Dr. Hadley commenced his wonderful method of treatment and rescued her from the grave. One of the first indicatons of returning life noticed as the mighty force controlled by this scientic scorcerer permeated her system was the sudden return of normal circulation of the blood; then little by little strength could be seen animating the wasted frame; gradually color returned to the pale cheeks and they filled out; the limbs rounded and the whole body seemed to undergo a transformation, until, before the eye of the extremely interested witnesses, the woman stood forth in all the beauty and perfection of physical and mental health. Could doctors and specialists be blamed for looking at Dr. Hadley in amazement and reverent awe? Is it any wonder that he is credited with superhuman power over disease, whatever its name and nature? Preliminary to another case, that of a Mr. B. R. Hall, of Snowville, Va., ten doctors, using drugs, medicines and surgery, tried to cure this hopeless invalid suffering from a disease long considered incurable. They failed one after the other. The man was on the verge of death. A piece of bone nearly an inch long had been cut from his skull above the eye. His agonies were terrible, and the doctors advised another operation as the only chance of saving his life. But Dr. Hadley took the case, said sawing or cutting into the man's head was not necessary, put Mr. Hall under his treatment and, remarkable as it may seem in the face of the former failures, the man rose from his bed and walked about, his life saved and his health and strength restored most marvelously. Yet these are only random instances selected from among hundreds where Dr. Hadley's almost miraculous power has made the bonds of disease fall away as if they were broken chains, and changed the miserable victims of life-sapping illness into strong and happy men and women.

Naturally the announcement that a man of such wonderful ability to heal, a man who probably has had more patients than any other doctor in the city, will hereafter give services and home treatment free to all who ask is most sensational and far reaching in its effects, since it gives everyone throughout the country, the poor as well as the rich, an equal opportunity to be cured by availing themselves of the transcendent skill, long experience, wonderful power, and proven ability to heal of this world-famous scientist. And it is the more remarkable and fortunate in view of the undoubted fact that there is no disease that he may not cure.

To confirm the facts as stated, an interview was sought with Dr. Hadley at his offices on Madison Avenue, during which the great pathologist said:

"Yes, your information is correct, and I am willing to repeat and prove the statements that I have made. I am just as ready to cure paralysis, heart disease and other organic weakness, deafness, consumption, Bright's disease, cancer, tumor or any one of the diseases usually pronounced incurable, as I am to cure rheumatism, stomach trouble, blood disorders, catarrh or any other ill that human flesh is heir to. I can banish pain, renew the vital energy, restore strength to organs broken down by disease, age or accident, and make health and happiness take the place of illness and sorrow."

"Then you must have made some new and wonderful discovery unknown to medical science?"

"I have. I have discovered the secret of life. I now know and undestand the cause of disease, how it may be prevented and cured."

"And these miracles of healing are due to this discovery?"

"Yes. I have discarded the useless drugs and medicines commonly prescribed by physicians, and use a system of treatment that is as much superior to modern medical practice as the sun is to a candle. Now that I have perfected it after long years of practice and experiment, I find that I have the power to cure my patients without their coming to me or my going to them. But you are mistaken in calling these cures 'miracles.' At least they are not miracles in the same way as those spoken of in the Bible. They may seem just as wonderful and beyond understanding, but they are in truth simply scientific phenomena that demonstrate the great power over diseases that has been given me to use for my fellow men."

"It is said that you have abandoned your private practice and will devote yourself entirely to this new line of work?"

"Yes, that is true. But I intend to go on curing anyone who is ill of any disease they may have, just as long as I am able. Rich or poor now make no difference in my accepting patients. I have become convinced that as a Christian it is my duty to the Great Healer who gave me this power to use it to help the sick and afflicted wherever they may be, whoever they are, and whatever their circumstances. All that anyone needs in order to command my services is to say that he or she is in the grasp of the demon, disease. All that anyone who is ill from any cause, and who want to be cured, has to do is to write me a letter addressing Wm. Wallace Hadley, M. D., Office 1052 E. 708 Madison Avenue, New York, telling me the disease they suffer from most, their principal symptoms, age and sex, and I am ready and anxious to serve them and send them a course of home treatment absolutely free of charge."

"Do you really mean that anyone who is sick can write to you to be cured without paying any money?"

"Exactly. I mean just that. Anyone. I am not a millionaire, and I appreciate the expense it will mean to me to do this, but I would not have given up my private practice if I was not financially able to give freely of my services to all who stand in need of it. And anyway, it is not a question of money, but of my duty to humanity as I see it."

"But how about those at a distance, can you cure them, too?"

"I have already told you that distance makes no difference. I can cure those thousands of miles away just as quickly and just as surely as those who call at my office. And I am especially anxious to cure those cases where both doctors and drugs have failed. I do not care what other men may say or what they have failed to do, or why. I do not care how serious, chronic or long standing the disease may be. Indeed, I prefer these hopeless cases, since they give me an opportunity to demonstrate beyond doubt that there is no disease I may not cure."

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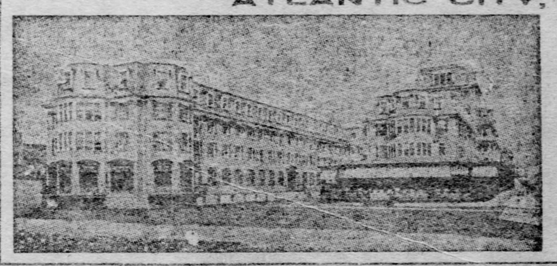

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